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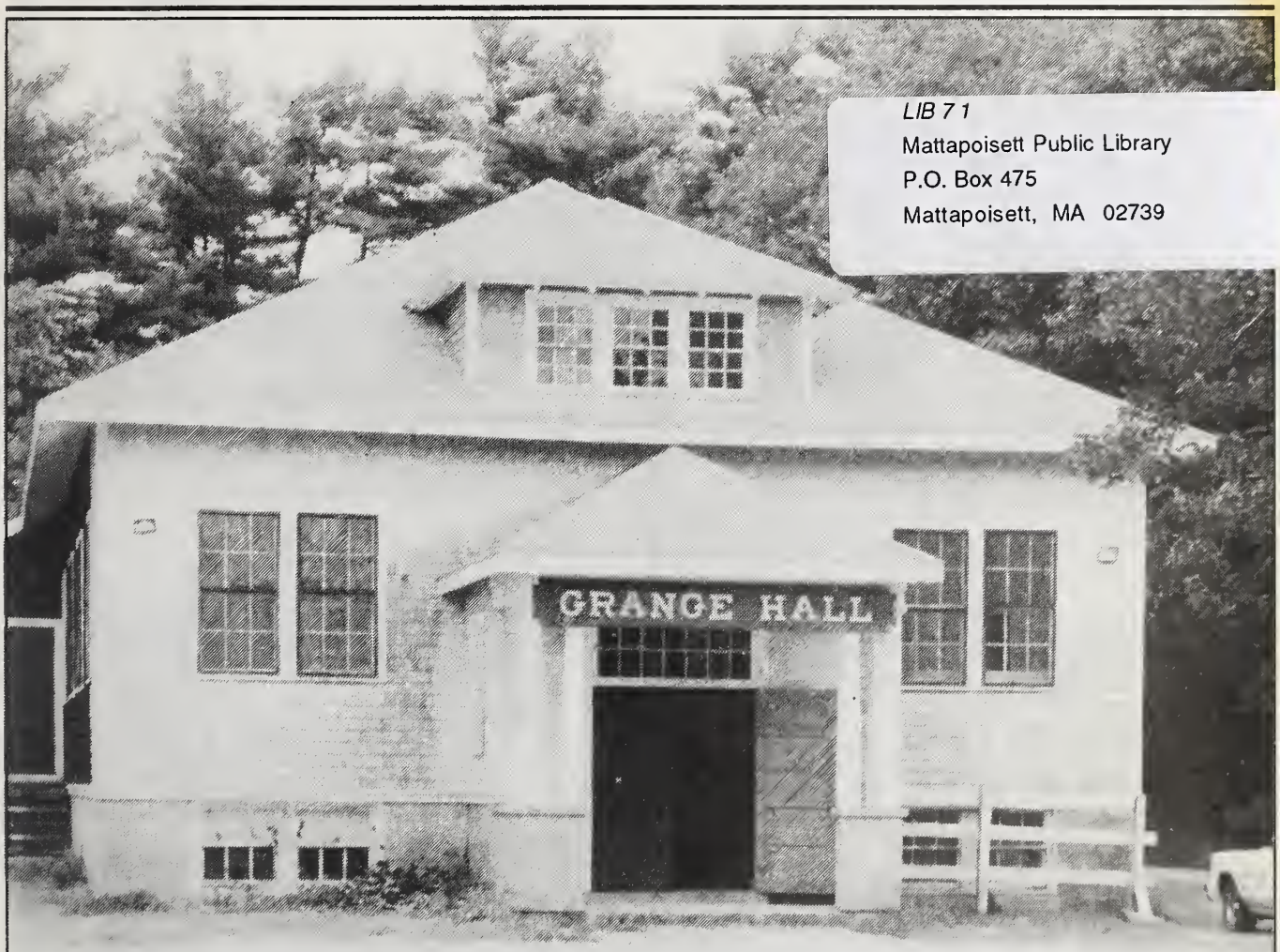

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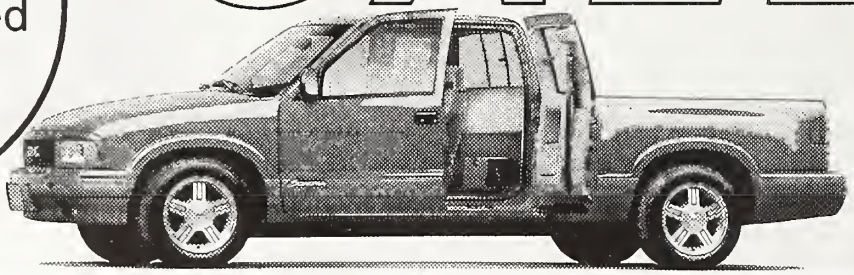

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Summer Harvest

Rochester Grange's Annual Agricultural Fair

By Kenneth J. Souza

Though the summer is still in full swing, thoughts of cooler fall weather and area harvests are sure to begin when the members of Rochester Grange No. 257 hold their annual Agricultural Fair on Saturday, August 16. Now in its 87th year, the annual event will be held at the Grange Hall on Hartley Road beginning at 2:00 pm. Admission to the fair is FREE.

There will be exhibits of fruits, vegetables, and flowers. Hobbies, crafts, canning, and baked goods will also be exhibited. The Agricultural Fair will have baked goods and handcrafts on sale as well as grab bags and articles on donations. The Marion Visiting Nurses will also be at the event from 2:00 pm until 4:00 pm to give free blood pressure check-ups.

The Agricultural Fair has become something of a tradition in the area, especially those sponsored by local Grange Halls. It provided an opportunity for farmers to display the fruits of their labor while exchanging tricks of the trade with their fellow agriculturalists. Today, the Grange Fair is more akin to a "farmer's market," where both produce buyers and sellers benefit.

The Rochester Grange in conjunction with the Massachusetts State Grange will award one ribbon for the best exhibit of vegetables, fruits or canning. First, second and third place prizes will also be given for the top winner in the Open Class, Junior Class, and 4-H Class in each of the following categories: Vegetables; Fruits; Canning; Needlework; Home Furnishing; Arts and Crafts; Foods; Cut Flowers; House Plants; Arrangements; and Conservation.

A Ham and Bean Supper will be held at 6:00 pm, following the Grange Fair. Tickets are $5 for adults and $3 for children under 10. At 7:15 pm there will also be an auction of vegetables and other goods left from the fair.

Members of the 1997 Rochester Grange Fair Committee include: Chairman Herbert L. LaFleur; Co-Chairman Jon Nutter; Secretary Susan LaFleur; Treasurer Herbert L. LaFleur; Agriculture Thomas Gayoski Jr., Paul Ouellette, and Katherine Gayoski; Flowers Kathy Gayoski; Apron, Fancy Work and Food Sales Louise Watling and Florence Thompson; Grabs Mary Gray; Supper Herbert LaFleur and Christine Day; Decorating Beth Gonneville and Irene Jefferson.

Regular meetings of Rochester Grange No. 257 are held at 8:00 pm on the second Wednesday of each month (with the exception of the July meeting, which is held on the fourth Wednesday). Visitors are always welcome.

If you would like to enter the Rochester Grange Fair, entries may be brought to the hall at 205 Hartley Road in Rochester on Friday, August 15 from 2:00 to 4:00 pm and again from 7:00 pm to 9:00 pm. For further information, please call 295-8908.

Spray Cats

New England Beetle Cats in Mattapoisett

■ **Regatta in Mattapoisett**

The New England Beetle Cat Boat Association (NEBCBA) is holding its seventy-sixth Regatta on August 8, 9 and 10. The host is the Mattapoisett Yacht Club. The racing classes are Mighty Mites, Juniors, and the Telesmanick which includes Juniors, Women's, Old Salts, and Open. Sue McGowan heads up the Regatta Committee. For more information, she may be contacted at 758-4416 or P.O. Box 84, Mattapoisett, MA 02739.

■ **Beetle Cat Boat History**

The Beetle Cat has been sailing around New England waters since 1921. It was designed, constructed and named by the Beetle Family of Clark's Point, New Bedford, MA. In 1928, Miss Ruth Beetle took over the boatyard at the death of her father, John. She was the only woman boatwright in the U.S. in 1932. Then came World War II, interrupting all construction. After the war, Ruth's brother Carl Beetle sold the right, title and interest to the Concordia Company, Inc. in South Dartmouth, then run by Waldo Howland. The Beetle Cat is now being built by Beetle, Inc. in South Dartmouth.

The Beetle Cat is a wooden, centerboard vessel with a gaff-rigged single sail and short mast. It is good for learning the fundamentals of sailing as well as being easy to maintain, transport, and store. The Beetle has proved

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On the cover: The Rochester Grange Hall located on Hartley Road will be the site for the 87th Annual Agricultural Fair on Saturday, August 16. The fair will include exhibitions of fruits, vegetables and flowers in addition to hobbies, crafts, canning and baked goods. (Photo by Kenneth J. Souza).

Cover insert: The New England Beetle Cat Boat Association (NEBCBA) will hold a Junior Regatta in Mattapoisett Harbor this weekend on August 8, 9 and 10. This annual event, now in its seventy-sixth year, will be hosted by the Mattapoisett Yacht Club. (Photo courtesy of the NEBCBA).

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itself, also, as a good racing craft.

During the '20's and '30's, the Beetle's popularity grew tremendously in Massachusetts and Rhode Island. In 1937, the first Beetle Cat Championship was held and NEBCBA was formed. In 1947 the Beetle Cat came to Mattapoisett, where it is still sailed and raced.

The Original Beetle Cat Boat was designed in 1920, and in 1921 it began to appear along the New England and south shores of Cape Cod, on Buzzard's Bay, on Narragansett Bay, at Nantucket Island, and on the Great South Bay of Long Island. Over 4,000 of these boats have been built to date. As the virtues of this class of craft came to be appreciated, Beetles made an important place for themselves in racing.

The Beetle Cat Boat was named after the Beetle family who designed and originally constructed it. This family lived for generations at Clark's Point in New Bedford and were widely known for the "Beetle Whaleboat," unexcelled in design and workmanship. The Beetle family could build these whale boats very quickly, and at the same time keep their sound standards of construction. They developed pre-fabrication in boat building, and employed mass production methods. Where it was usual to build the ribs first in other types of boats, they 'wrapped' the planks around the skeleton first, and put the frames in afterwards. This made it possible to build a complete whale boat in one day.

The Beetle Cat Boat is rich in a history that stems from whaling days. But what are the features that have

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given it such wide acceptance? The wide beam, with the rudder not extending below the bottom of the keel, and center-board that lifts up, as previously mentioned, are features that lend
this boat to shallow waters. It is a boat that can be beached. The great beam (6 inches), makes it unusually stable, and gives it a large carrying capacity. While racing standards call for a skipper and one person as crew, these Original Beetle Cat Boats have been known to carry as many as six 150-pound persons. Made entirely of wood, (oak frames with cedar planking) with no ballast, it is non-sinkable. The large decked area forward on the boat means spray falls on the deck rather than inside the boat.

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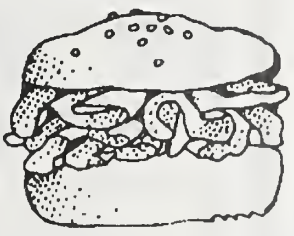

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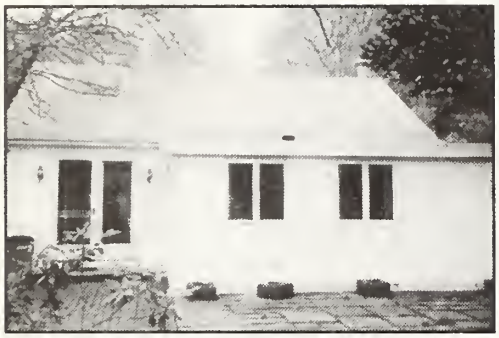

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have aimed to maintain this as a definite one-design class boat for racing. Up to seventy boats per year have been built although that number has been reduced in recent years.

The early records of Beetle Cat racing are not complete, but since 1951, there has been a movement afoot to compile them so that they may become a part of the permanent history of this class. Included in this project are three scrapbooks of clippings of Beetle activities, contributions to which will be welcomed by the Association.

From available records it appears that one of the first sizeable fleets was organized at Duxbury, MA in 1923 under the guidance of Commodore Edward N. Farnsworth and Ralph Lawson. The popularity of these boats spread, and soon there were fleets scattered along Cape Cod and on Buzzard's Bay.

The New England Beetle Cat Boat Association was formed at New Bedford, MA, in the spring of 1940, with the following yacht clubs becoming charter members: Angelica, Mattapoisett, MA; Barrington, Barrington, RI, Barnstable, Barnstable, MA; Bass River, Bass River, MA; Edgewood, RI; New Bedford, New Bedford, MA. In August, 1940 ten clubs were represented in the regatta sponsored by the newly-formed New England Beetle Cat Association. By 1948 the association had grown considerably, and new by-laws were adopted with a re-defining of the purpose of the organization.

An annual race which captures considerable interest is the "Ancient Mariner's Race, Senile Seadogs' Series" held at Angelica Point in Mattapoisett each Labor Day weekend. A water color of Beetle Cats has been awarded annually since 1944.

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had sunk to a low ebb, but Charlie increased production to 25 to 30 boats in 1995.

Beetle Cats are scattered in most of the fifty states and in most of the world. One of them was even sent to Scorpio, Greece a number of year ago for young John Kennedy, but that boat was eventually returned to Hyannisport.

The Beetle Cat Class has a long and varied history. It is one of the oldest classes raced actively and probably the only one still made in wood. The New England Beetle Cat Boat Association is dedicated to continuing this success into the future.

For more information on the NEBCBA or the Beetle Cat Boats, check out their website at: www.capecod.net/sqtg/nebcba.

Mattapoisett Selectmen's Meeting

August 5, 1997

By Pamela Sylvia

A regular meeting of the Mattapoisett Board of Selectmen was called to order on Tuesday, August 5 at 7:00 pm by Chairman John N. DeCosta. Also present were Selectman Paul R. Lambalot, Selectman Michele Bernier, and Secretary Melody Pacheco.

On the agenda at 7:00 pm, the board met with Jim Fortner to discuss the possibility of having a concert at the gazebo in Shipyard Park. Mr. Fortner and his band, known as "Wreckage,'" would like to play their music for the public on Tuesday, September 23. When the Selectmen asked what kind of music Wreckage plays, Mr. Fortner said, "We don't like to stick labels on ourselves." After that, they admitted they play an alternative style of music.

The board seemed pretty willing to give the teens a chance to perform their set, which consists of all original music. More bands will more than likely be added to the card before the event. More information will be given to the public when as the event draws near.

At 7:15 pm, the board met with members of the

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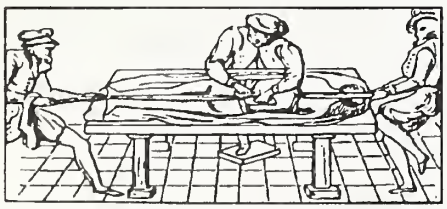

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Recreation Committee regarding their nomination for a new Recreation Director. The committee members nominated John Haley with high hopes and praise. Haley, who has been involved with youth athletic services for the last 23 years, is the co-founder of the Mattapoisett Youth Athletic Association (MYAA), as well as being qualified in budget matters and grant writing. With Mr. Haley familiar with town procedures, the board had no problem accepting the Recreation Committee's nomination. They unanimously voted to appoint Mr. Haley as the town's new Recreation Director.

On the agenda at 7:30 pm, the board met with members of the Finance Committee (FinCom), the Town Accountant, the Town Treasurer, the Tax Collector, and the Town Clerk to discuss dates for the next Fiscal Year 1999 Budgetary Process Meeting.

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Since the Town Meeting warrant must be complete and printed 30 days before the Annual Town Meeting, the last chance articles can be placed on the warrant will be March 15, 1998. After the Town Meeting it will take 30 days for the ballots to be printed and prepared for the Town Election, which has been scheduled for June 16, 1998. All of the above dates are still tentative.

Under incoming correspondence for the week, the board received:

• Notice from James R. Johnson, Director of Accounts at the Department of Revenue (DOR), officially informing Mattapoisett that they have received the second allocation of Chapter 90 money in the amount of $168,506;

• Invitation from Fire Chief Ronald Scott for the board to attend the Fifth Annual Firefighters' Award Night. It will take place on September 6 at the Knights of Columbus Hall on Route 6 beginning at 6:00 pm. Chief Scott would like to know who will be attending this event as soon as possible;

• Notification from Dale Barrows, Board of Health Agent, informing the board that as of Saturday, August 2, Mattapoisett residents will be allowed to use Fairhaven's oil-recycling facility. The charge will be 25 cents per gallon, and $1 per oil filter. The facility is located at 5 Arsene Street, which is Fairhaven's DPW building. The hours are Monday through Friday, 8:15 am to 12:00 noon, and Saturday, 8:00 am to 4:00 pm. Proof of residence is required.

For meetings scheduled throughout the week, the board cited:

• Monday, August 11 at 7:00 pm - Master Plan Study Committee will be meeting in the Selectmen's Office;

• Tuesday, August 12 at 6:00 pm - Open Space Study Committee will be meeting in the Selectmen's Office;

• Thursday, August 14 at 7:30 pm - Neighborhood Meeting for Inner Neck residents will be held at the Senior Center;

• Friday, August 15 at 3:15 pm - Library Repair bidding will be held in the Selectmen's Office;

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• Monday, August 18 at 6:30 pm - Personnel Board will be conducting interviews;

• Tuesday, August 19 from 5:00 to 9:00 pm - Mattapoisett Town Hall will be celebrating its centennial.

With no further business pending before the board, they unanimously decided to adjourn for the evening.

Marion Selectmen's Meeting

August 5, 1997

By Kenneth J. Souza

A regular meeting of the Marion Board of Selectmen was called to order on Tuesday, August 5 at 7:00 pm by Chairman Loretta B. Schaefer. Also present were Selectman Albert E. Winters, Selectman Jonathan "Jody" Dickerson,

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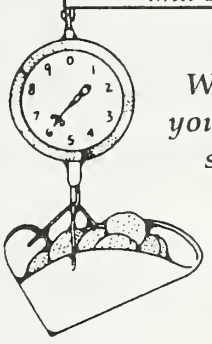

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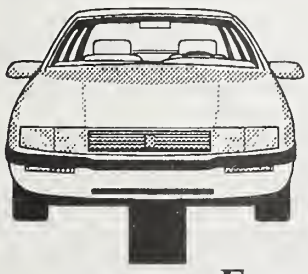

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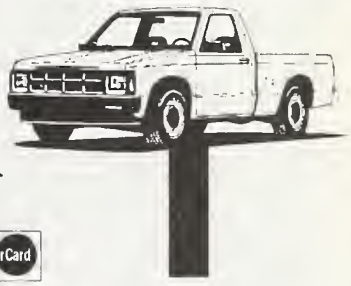

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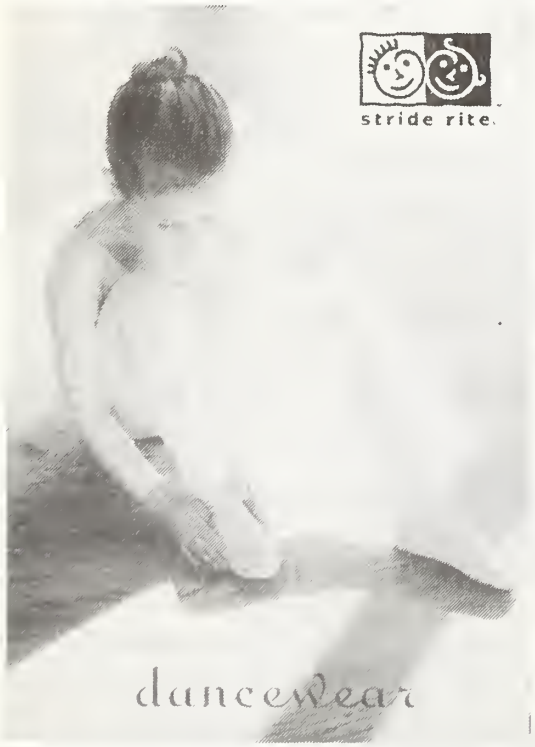

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The board first approved a Special License for a wedding reception at the VFW Post 2425 on August 16 from 12:00 noon to 6:00 pm; and also signed an appointment slip for Ray E. Pickles as the town's Economic Development Advisor. The board also signed treasury warrants #6A and 6 for the week, amended the minutes of the July 8 meeting to make a correction, and approved the minutes of the July 22 meeting.

Under incoming correspondence for the week, the board received a copy of a recent decision rendered by the Zoning Board of Appeals (ZBA) upon a request from Edward C. Brainard II to allow one radio tower on Lot 13H of Assessors Plan 24 in the "Wireless Communication Overlay District." The ZBA voted, 4 to 1, to grant Mr. Brainard's request.

State Senator Marc Pacheco next sent a letter to the board to update them on House Bill 4522 to establish a Land Band in Marion. Senator Pacheco noted that the bill has been placed in a study by the Taxation Committee. Chairman Schaefer, however, noted that this point is probably moot now since Governor Paul Cellucci recently announced that he will veto any Land Bank bills and measures.

But Conservation Commission member Horace "Hod" Kenney suggested that it might be wise for the town to send another letter of support to both Senator Pacheco and State Representative William Straus to keep the issue alive. Mr. Pickles also recommended placing another article on next year's Annual Town Meeting warrant to reinforce this past year's vote.

Bonnie Stinson next sent a request to the board to use the handicapped-accessible van to attend the Living Faith

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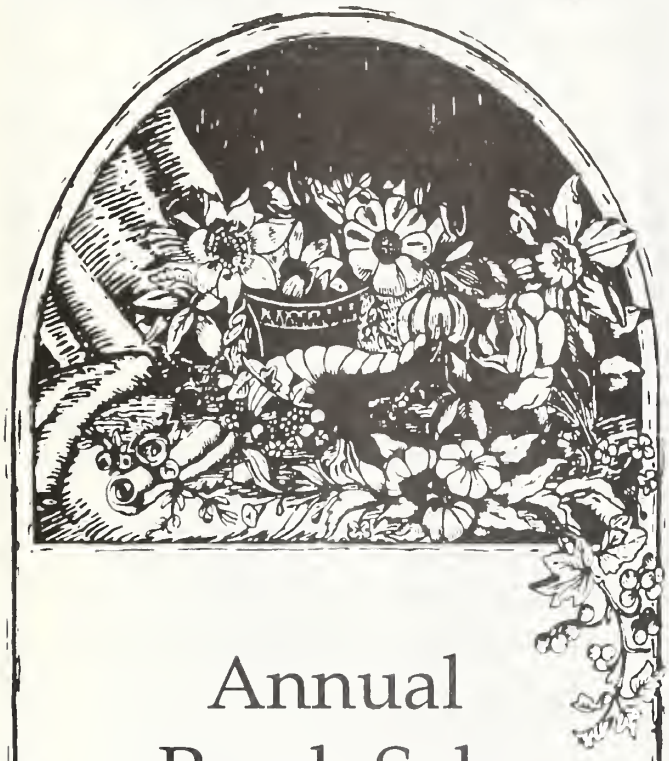
Church in Onset every Sunday. But Chairman Schaefer noted that funding for the handicap van has been drastically reduced over the last few years, and their full-time driver is only available to drive 32 hours a week. Mr. Pickles added that funding has been cut since 1992, and the van is used almost exclusively for medical emergencies and to take people to doctor's appointments.

Mr. Pickles next sent a request to the Trial Court of the Commonwealth to use an existing Notice of By-Law Violations for marine-related violations as voted at the April 22, 1996 Town Meeting. Chief Justice Samuel E. Zoll confirmed that the "Town of Marion Notice of Violation of Town By-Laws or Regulations" which he issued on May 5, 1990 could be used for "violations of any municipal by-law or regulation for which decriminalized disposition was permitted ... and authorized by an enabling by-law. This would certainly include zoning and other non-marine by-law violations."

The board next discussed a recent request from Reverend Ted Lavigne of the Church of Marion to broadcast programming via public access on MediaOne cable television and to have his people train on and use the equipment at the local MediaOne facility. According to a letter dated July 28, Reverend Lavigne was informed by Nancy Leonardo of MediaOne that he could only use the equipment if the Town of Marion recognized his church as a "community organization."

"My question to the Selectmen is, do you recognize us, the Church of Marion, as a valid community organization?" Reverend Lavigne wrote. "If not, what comprises a valid community organization in Marion?"



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Since Reverend Lavigne could not be present for the Marion Selectmen's meeting (he had a prior appointment to meet with the Mattapoisett Board of Selectmen), he sent two representatives who also videotaped the proceedings for his benefit. In a follow-up letter dated August 2, Reverend Lavigne wrote: "I would personally like to be at that meeting, but I am scheduled to be in another meeting elsewhere on that night. So I want to clearly understand the Selectmen's reasons for ... not immediately recognizing us as a valid, legitimate or bona fide community organization."

Chairman Schaefer read a written response they obtained from Town Counsel Thomas Crotty regarding this matter. According to Mr. Crotty's letter, the town's license with MediaOne requires the company to provide community access

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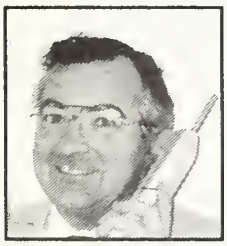

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to local organizations and residents. However, the Church of Marion, which has only a P.O. Box address in town, does not qualify in his opinion. "Local (post office) boxes do not qualify for community residency," Chairman Schaefer read from the letter. "Reverend Lavigne is not a resident of Marion ... in my opinion, Reverend Lavigne and the Church of Marion do not qualify for community residence status."

The Department of Housing and Community Development next sent confirmation that the town's application for a 1998 Municipal Incentive Grant has been denied. Jane Wallis Gumble, Director of the DHCD noted that they received 156 letters of interest and only 39 were invited to submit a final application.

Resident Bob Gardner next sent a lengthy letter requesting copies of all pertinent information regarding the Board of Selectmen's recent decision to require Helix-type moorings for all boat owners in Marion. Among the specific documents Mr. Gardner requested were notices of public hearings, minutes of all meetings and public hearings, formulas used to calculate the criteria of the Helix-type mooring, and testing results of other mooring types.

Again, Chairman Schaefer referred to a written response from Town Counsel Thomas Crotty which said that Mr. Gardner may be provided with this public information, however he would have to pay for the costs involved with providing photocopies and also cover the expenses incurred in clerical research. In reviewing the matter with Harbormaster George Jennings, Chairman Schaefer noted there is about 300 pages of documentation on this subject which, at 10 cents per page, would cost $30 to photocopy. It would also take an estimated 7 hours of clerical research and staff time to compile the information which would cost $92.47 at the standard rate of $13.21 an hour.

Selectman Winters moved that a response be sent to Mr. Gardner and that he be provided with the requested information if he agreed to pay the $122.47 in total costs.

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Mr. Pickles then updated the board on the water restriction which was recently placed on Marion water users. According to Mr. Pickles, the water pump which needed to be replaced had been put back online and yesterday they pumped an estimated 850,000 gallons of water which is on par with the daily average for this time of year. "The tanks are full and the pumps are repaired," he said. "I recommend we lift the water (restriction), effective immediately." With that, the board unanimously voted to lift the temporary water restriction for all Marion water users.

Mr. Pickles also wanted to remind the board that the Tree Planting Committee is in full gear preparing for Arbor Day on September 26. There will be a banner hung announcing the event, and local school children will be involved with a tree-planting program around town. Mr. Pickles also said the town's new by-law books are available, with updates through March of 1997. The Attorney General's office had approved the town's new by-laws as voted at Town Meeting, and another updated version of the by-laws will be prepared including the April, 1997 revisions.

At 7:20 pm the board met with Town Treasurer/Town Clerk Debra Blanchette to sign treasury bonds for fiscal year 1998 in the amount of $1,795,000 with Fidelity Mutual. Ms. Blanchette noted the town received an "excellent" interest rate of 4.2770 percent — she had expected it to be 5 percent. The board unanimously voted to sign and approve the bonds.

At 7:30 pm the board met with Joel D. Hartley who expressed interest in serving on the Marion Conservation Commission (ConCom). Mr. Hartley has been employed as a

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professional engineer for some time and currently works for the state Department of Environmental Protection (DEP) in Boston. He has also worked as a Wetlands Section Chief in Lakeville and moved to Marion in September of last year. He formerly lived in Lexington, MA and also nearby Rochester.

ConCom Chairman G. Wayne Asker sent a letter supporting Mr. Hartley's appointment to the ConCom as they are in need of members and face potential quorum problems with future meetings in September and October. The Selectmen thereby unanimously voted to appoint Mr. Hartley to the ConCom for a term to expire on May 31, 1998.

On a similar note, ConCom Chairman Asker sent a request to appoint Jeffrey Oakes as an Interim Voting Member of the commission from September 10 through October 15 as both he and Sherman Briggs will be unable to attend meetings during that time. With that, the board unanimously voted to appoint Jeffrey Oakes as an Interim Voting Member of the ConCom from September 10 through October 15.

There being no further matters to come before the board, they unanimously voted to adjourn for the evening at 7:50 pm. Due to the summer schedule, their next regular meeting will be held on Tuesday, August 19 at 7:00 pm.

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August 4, 1997

By Kenneth J. Souza

A regular meeting of the Rochester Board of Selectmen was called to order on Monday, August 4 at 7:00 pm by Chairman Richard Cutler. Also present were Selectman Lorraine Roy Hawkes, Selectman William Chamberlain, Executive Secretary Russell Dean, and Administrative Assistant Veronica Lafreniere.

The board first met with several residents from Ryder Road to discuss a petition with 35 signatures to have their street paved and posted with appropriate signs. Lisa DeMello spoke on behalf of the Ryder Road contingency, saying that she was informed to prepare a petition and present it to the Selectmen that evening. Chairman Cutler wanted to know if they had spoken with Highway Surveyor Jeff Eldridge about this project. Ms. DeMello said they hadn't spoken to Mr. Eldridge. "I thought this was the way to proceed," she said. "I was led to believe we should just bring a petition to (the Board of Selectmen)."

But the board explained that road repair projects fall under Mr. Eldridge's jurisdiction. Since he is an elected official, he is answerable only to the residents who elected him.

Ms. DeMello said she initially called Executive Secretary Russell Dean about this matter and he told her that he would contact Mr. Eldridge. Mr. Dean said he did,

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in fact, discuss this with Jeff Eldridge, and he agreed to send some (DPW) workers to patch Ryder Road. Although Ms. DeMello noted some repairs were done, she and her neighbors feel the work was not that extensive.

"The work (that was done) was okay ... but it's already starting to buck and wear out," Ms. DeMello said. "It's a real safety hazard. We have problems with potholes and trenching on the road, and cars are dodging the potholes ... which is dangerous if you're riding a bike or walking."

Ms. DeMello added that because the road is not paved, dirt and dust is kicked up — especially during these dry summer months — and becomes airborne and enters homes through open windows. "The dirt is intolerable," she said. "Some people can't leave their windows open ... and people with allergies are having problems with airborne dirt and dust."

Selectman Chamberlain suggested another avenue would be for the residents to prepare another petition with an article to be placed on the Annual Town Meeting warrant to appropriate money for the paving of Ryder Road. Ms. DeMello said they had an estimate from the Rochester Bituminous plant that it would cost $50,000 to grade the road with a two-inch base coat. She also noted that the state had appropriated some $209,975 to the Town of Rochester on July 1 for the repaving of roads.

But the Selectmen said most if not all of that money was probably earmarked for pending projects as determined by Mr. Eldridge. "It's difficult for us to discuss this matter without Mr. Eldridge present," Selectman Hawkes said. Mr. Dean said he neglected to invite Mr. Eldridge to the meeting when the Ryder Road residents first made the appointment.

"I think you should plan on preparing an article for the Town Meeting with the petition," Chairman Cutler said. "In the meantime, talk to Jeff Eldridge and see if he

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Before concluding, Chairman Cutler asked how many Ryder Road residents had attended the last Town Meeting — no one responded. "(Jeff Eldridge) requested an additional $150,000 for road repairs and it was turned down and no one spoke up," Chairman Cutler said. "You really should attend Town Meeting."

At 7:15 pm the board met with Norene Hartley to follow-up on last week's discussion of designating Route 105 as a scenic route. Since the state is planning to repave and widen the road in some sections next year, both Ms. Hartley and Susan Adams approached the board last week to request their support in this endeavor. "We need a letter signed by citizens making sure that the character of the road won't be changed by this designation," Ms. Hartley said.

Chairman Cutler said he agrees that Route 105 should remain a rural road, but he also doubts that they could garner much support in keeping the road as-is, thereby forgoing the scheduled repairs. Finance

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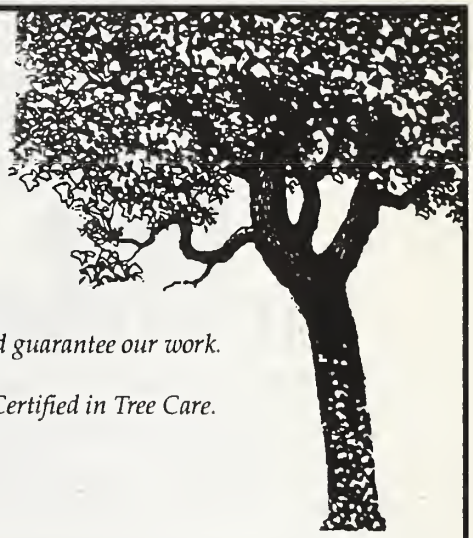

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Committee (FinCom) Chairman Pat Ryan, who also resides on Route 105, said she understood that all the town needs to do is send a letter to the state asking them to not do any more than necessary in repairing the road, thereby retaining as much of the rural character as possible.

The board agreed to draft a second letter to the state requesting that the rural character of Route 105 be maintained when road work begins.

Under incoming correspondence, the board received a request from the Rochester Police Brotherhood to provide Hepatitis-B vaccines for their six full-time members. According to Police Chief Walter Denham, he understood that the town provided Hepatitis-B shots for members of the Fire and EMS departments. Since police officers are usually the first people on the scene of a potential emergency, he feels they should also be given these vaccinations.

The board agreed that these shots should be provided and there is money in the Board of Health budget to provide rabies shots, but not enough for Hepatitis vaccinations. The board unanimously voted to have Chief Denham make the arrangements to vaccinate all six full-time police officers and would deal with the funding issue at a later date. Selectman Chamberlain abstained.

The board received notice from the Southeastern Regional Planning and Economic Development District (SRPEDD) that the town is eligible for up to 20 hours of professional staff time for each SRPEDD Commissioner. In this case, Rochester has two representatives — one from the Planning Board and one from the Board of Selectmen. Town Treasurer John Hall suggested that all 40 hours could be used to review the Master Plan Study being prepared for the town and also to begin writing a Phased Growth By-Law as suggested by resident Stuart Tallman

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"I'd rather see the hours get used," Selectman Chamberlain said. "Too often they end up sitting there and don't get used." With that, the board unanimously voted to have Executive Secretary Dean make arrangements to use the 40 hours allocated for these two projects.

At 8:00 pm the board met with Tax Collector Thomas Gayoski Jr. and Town Treasurer John Hall to discuss Tax Title Property procedures and possible town-owned land which could be sold or auctioned off. Chairman Cutler explained that right now, the town's policy is left wide open in terms of the open auction process. "The procedure in the past has been to set the

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minimum bid at the total of all outstanding tax bills," he said. "I think there are some properties in Rochester which could be of great long-term value to the town."

The board then discussed the following foreclosed properties with Mr. Gayoski and Mr. Hall which could potentially be sold or auctioned: Plan 15, Lot 22 (Alley Road); Plan 15, Lot 27 (Alley Road); Plan 15, Lot 28 (Alley Road); Plan 14, Lot 13A (off High Street); Plan 43A, Lot 64A (Forster Road); Plan 27, Lot 17G (off Burgess Avenue); and Plan 21, Lot 33 (Ryder Road). Mr. Hall said that if the board decided they wanted to auction off any of these properties, they would still have to set a minimum bid.

The board unanimously voted to have Conservation Agent Laurell J. Farinon check into these properties and determine whether any of them were in conservation or comprised of wetlands. After this, they would consider which lots they might sell or auction off.

In other business, the board also voted to:

• Prepare a list of all town-owned property which could potentially be sold or auctioned off;

• Ask Police Chief Denham and Fire Chief Ashworth to consult the initial design for the Dexter Lane property to see if they had any safety concerns before dividing the property into sections for town use;

• Have Executive Secretary Dean contact Monroe Office Supply to repair the existing photocopy machine in Town Hall instead of leasing a new model;

• Appoint Selectman Hawkes as the board's Veterans representative;

• Convert the Capital Outlay Committee to a Capital Outlay Task Force as a subcommittee under the Finance Committee as per a recommendation from FinCom Chairman Pat Ryan and Executive Secretary Dean. Both felt the Attorney General's office would not approve the initial structure of the committee as voted at Town Meeting.

The board noted that a Special Town Election will be held on Wednesday, August 6 with polls open from 8:00 am to 8:00 pm. There will also be a Special Town Meeting on Monday, August 25 at 7:30 pm in the auditorium of Memorial School.

There being no further matters to come before the

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board, they unanimously voted to adjourn for the evening at 9:05 pm.

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The Family Tree
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shaping clothes for our children,
who hand on to the ones beyond
who will not know us at all
but who nevertheless have a hand on the trunk,
who feel it resonate when struck.

Well, you know what I mean — those of us who grew up in Mattapoisett, but scattered — I live on the opposite coast now, in Petaluma, where I found descendants of that Joseph Purrington who left Mattapoisett to attend the Gold Rush and became lost for a generation or two — looking back with nostalgia. We're never sure what we look at ... At the town where we grew up? At the process of growing up?

Certainly we come home from time to time, and every once in a while in a rush of bill paying I write my return address as Mattapoisett and look at it dumbfounded. When we find a book that uses Mattapoisett as a setting, like *Woman on the Edge of Time* by Marge Piercy, we're delighted and we look for books like *Homecoming* by Cynthia Voigt to show our kids what it felt like to come down through Mattapoisett from the Cape, heading south along Route 6.

My mother still lives in Mattapoisett, and this morning when I called to say "hello" she told me with sadness that across the street an old birch tree, a friend of hers, had been cut down. "There's nothing left of it but that odd-kneelike stump, and nobody even knows what those trees are any more," she said. She is 88. When she and my father settled on two acres of scrub oak and hardpan on North Street, they had few neighbors — the Vaughans (Hi, Ms. Vaughan) on the east, the Aiellos (Hi, Ms. Aiello) on the west. Across from us were pine woods and blackberry brambles, sloping down toward the Herring Weir in weedy woods and swamplands dotted with huge rocks and those unmistakable signs of earlier civilization — stone fences.

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At night the lightning bugs and scent of honeysuckle in July convinced us that Mattapoisett was magic ... the whippoorwill and bobwhite called to each other and agreed. Each Fourth of July parade was headed up by Mr. Skidmore, who put such an unmistakable stamp of freedom on summer that his mere presence enfranchised us — Mr. Skidmore had been born a slave, and Mattapoisett had become his sanctuary.

So anyway, this birch tree. Birches are one of the magic trees of Europe; they are placed on either side of the house door at Pentecost, or Whitsuntide, and symbolize the spirit that

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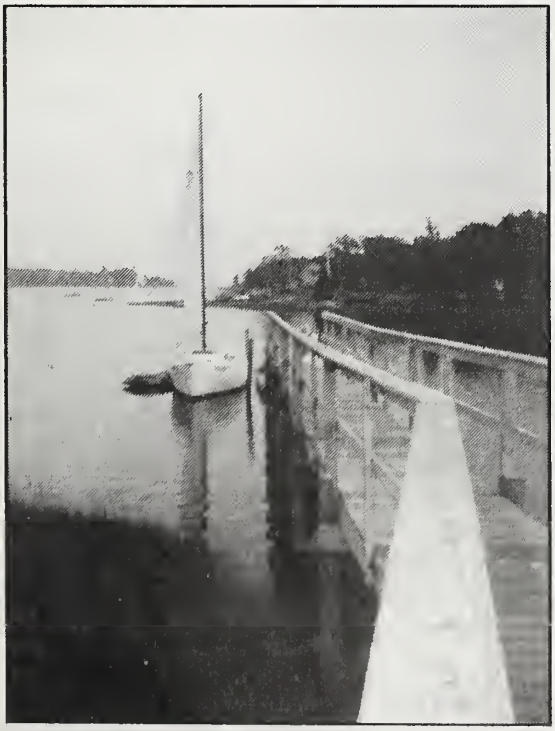

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moves through them, causing them to speak in tongues. So they say; every people has their own version of what moves them. The story is related to the story of the tower of Babel — people who speak different languages cannot understand each other. But in every language, birches, with their white trunks, have meant something special to people — a birch on the edge of a dark pine woods is visible, like a signpost, and easily thought of as almost human — as anyone will recognize from Andrew Wyeth's paintings. And birches are bendable, *biegsam* — lissom. Remember Robert Frost's poem about the Swinger of Birches? If you pass by a birch after a storm, pick up some of the long, trailing twigs and loop them in and over and around each other to make a wreath — they are so pliable they are almost like cord or twine.

These birch trees out on North Street were also bendable — and when the early Anglo settlers of the area wanted to mark a trail or direction, they would just bend over such a birch sapling and put a rock on it. The tree then grew that way, with a knee showing where it was eventually freed to grow upward again. One was lost the other day, but there are several more of these living monuments in the woods, and perhaps someone might like to identify and save them. I'm sure that if they were to be saved and the property they are on were sold it would raise the price nicely — think of it, a historical tree in your back yard, a marker into the future from the past. If anyone would like to help, contact my mother, or e-mail me at **lpurring@waonline.com**, and we'll see what we can do together to preserve Mattapoisett's heritage.

Letters to the Editor

To the Editor:

I, Manuel P. Raposa, resign from the (Acushnet) Board

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of Public Works (BPW) as of July 31, 1997 due to (recent) circumstances brought about. This is my decision. I am not happy with some of the decisions made by (Superintendent Richard) Settele of the DPW:

1. Sewer rates were recommended by the Town Accountant and the Finance Committee and the Superintendent at the rate of $60 per 1,000 cubic feet. Three board members voted to hold the rate at $35 per 1,000 cubic feet. The following week the board was told by the Finance Committee and the Superintendent that the rates had to go up to $60 to have level funding, or we would have a problem later because of the infiltration on Slocum Street. How can they justify going up on the rate until the problem is found? He should start putting dye in one drain at a time in order, starting east of South Main Street including parking lot drains.

2. The Wing Lane area road project, in my opinion, is not being done at 100 percent. A lot of driveways look like crap. Town employees spent a lot of time on this project which should not have happened. I hope that the town will be reimbursed for the damage to the town's roller: $1,500 to $2,000 (estimated price for the parts and labor to fix it), because the Superintendent had loaned it to a contractor to use. I hope that he has not paid this contractor.

I recommended to contact P.S.I. Engineering out of Canton, MA and was told by Superintendent Settele that there was no money to have this project checked. If this work was being done on town streets, where was Superintendent Settele at this time (when) he is the so-called engineer? This bill — of how much I don't know — has not crossed the table ... as of June. Again, self decision. It would be interesting to know how much this project cost.

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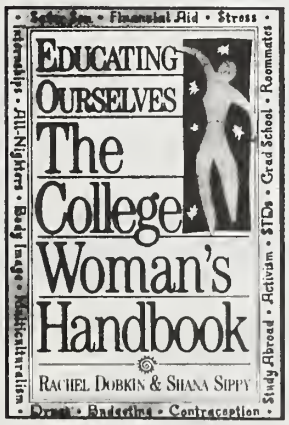

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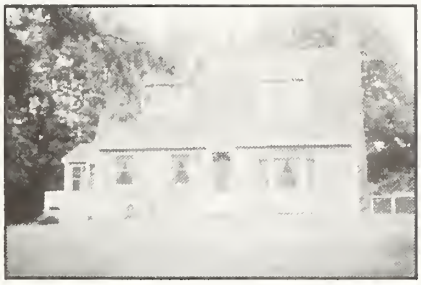

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5. John, James, Club and Columbe Street water project should have been started in April, but Superintendent Settele wanted to by-pass pipe. It was purchased and delivered the last week of May, and here it is the last week of July and not one ditch has been dug. The (BPW) was promised it would start June 1. Ha, ha, ha — what a *joke.*

6. Morale of the DPW workers is low because of the attitude and the way the Superintendent treats people. In my opinion, the Superintendent is not a people person.

7. We, as a board, agreed to hire Len Boyce to see what the Water Department needs. Where as until this date the Superintendent has not introduced Boyce to the board, but has taken Boyce to the Finance Committee without the board knowing.

8. Vehicle was a verbal agreement but now Superintendent Settele is not happy with the red Ford truck that the Superintendent was given for transportation. The Superintendent now wants a 4X4 sport-like Jeep, Blazer, or Ford Explorer. He can find money for this but not helping the people in town who use the sewers.

9. Personally the way I feel, in my opinion as I stated at other meetings, the Superintendent doesn't need this board. Lately, Superintendent (Settele) has been making his own decisions without the (BPW) knowing. The Superintendent decisions have not been best for the town. The Superintendent

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10. I have never seen the town roads look this bad in the 29 years I have lived in this town.

11. I apologize to the voters of Acushnet who voted for me in the past. My opinion is not always heard, sometimes it falls on closed ears.

Under these circumstances I feel I cannot truthfully, honestly and effectively serve on this board for the citizens of Acushnet, (whom) I have to face daily. Thank you for your past support.

Sincerely,
Manuel P. Raposa
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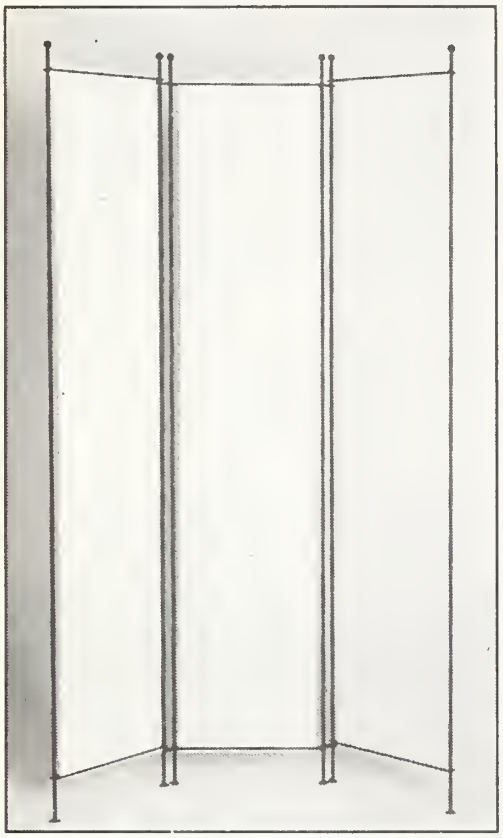

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Coastline Elderly Services Menu

Editor's Note: While area schools are on summer vacation, the weekly lunch menu for the Coastline Elderly Services Nutrition Program will appear here in our news section. It will return to our menus page in the fall when school resumes.

■ **Monday, August 11** - Hamburger pattie, oven fries with ketchup, carrot coins, hamburg roll, canned peaches.
■ **Tuesday, August 12** - Roasted chicken leg, au gratin potatoes, beautiful vegetables, white bread, rice/raisin pudding.
■ **Wednesday, August 13** - Pot roast with gravy, sweet potatoes, broccoli, branola bread, sour cream blueberry cake.
■ **Thursday, August 14** - Cheeseburger pie, mashed potatoes, Français blend vegetables, honey wheat bread, fresh fruit.
■ **Friday, August 15** - Minestrone soup, tuna salad, pasta vinaigrette, bulky roll, wawona strawberry cup.

Waffle Breakfast in Mattapoisett

Homemade, mouth-watering waffles topped with hand-picked local strawberries, whipped cream, juice, and coffee will be served on Sunday, August 10 from 8:30 am to 11:00 am in the St. Anthony's Church Hall, 22 Barstow Street in Mattapoisett. Tickets are $4 for two waffles, $3 for one waffle, and will be sold after all Masses this weekend.

VFW Clambake in Marion

The Benjamin D. Cushing Post 2425 VFW will hold its 51st Annual Clambake on Sunday, August 10 at 1:30 pm at the VFW Pavilion, Route 6 in Marion. Tickets are $18 per person. Please call Richard Ziemba at 295-7766.

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Museum and Carriage House, 5 Church Street in Mattapoisett, is now open for your viewing pleasure. The Currier and Ives prints of the first sixteen Presidents of the United States are the focus of this special exhibit. The prints were a gift to the museum from the Harrington family of Mattapoisett and Providence. The prints, at one time, hung in the Ned's Point home of Mr. and Ms. Charles Hamlin. Along with the prints, the exhibit includes maps and information about Mattapoisett during the terms of these men. Filling out the exhibit are examples of writing materials from the period.

The museum is open Tuesday through Saturday, 1:00 to 4:30 pm. Admission is $2 for adults, 50 cents for children under 12.

Ice Cream Social in Marion

Come one, come all to an Ice Cream Social! The Marion First Congregational Church is repeating their popular old-fashioned Ice Cream Social on Monday, August 11 from 6:00 to 7:00 pm. Join us on the lawn of the church at the corner of Main Street and Front Street in

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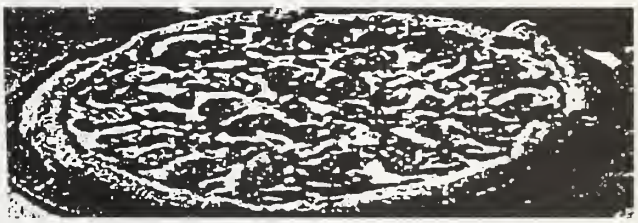

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Power Squadron Boating Course

Registration for the United States Power Squadron's Boating Course will be held at 7:30 pm on Tuesday, September 9 at Old Rochester Regional High School (Route 6 in Mattapoisett) near the Marion/Mattapoisett line. Boaters can save on insurance if they take a basic boating course such as this one. Statistically, boating course graduates have good safety records, making them better risks for marine insurance companies.

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The seventh session is a final exam. A United States Power Squadron Certificate of Completion is awarded to everyone who completes the course and passes the final exam. Anyone is welcome to sign up for the course. There are no age restrictions, and boat ownership is not required. Instruction is FREE, the only costs being for materials plus $5 to help defray the cost of classroom rental. Prices for materials, including sales tax, are as follows:

Boating course complete kit - $26.50 (includes student manual, a course plotter, and dividers for those who are starting from scratch); Student manual only - $15 (for those who already have the equipment); Extra set of homework questions - $4 (in case more than one family

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For more information, please contact Ed Lewis at 758-3876, Dick Fearing at 748-1890, Bob Coburn at 947-4462, Ralph Parker at 995-9204, or Mary True at 763-5241.

Marion Concert Band

The Marion Concert Band will present a concert in the style of the John Philip Sousa Band on Monday, August 11. The program, which includes several unannounced encores, is as follows:

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After an interval the program will resume with "The Entertainer (A Ragtime Two-Step)" (S. Joplin), "Romanesque" (J. Swearingen), and "Armed Forces Salute" (arr. B. Lowden).

Philip Sanborn, euphonium soloist, resides in Marion and is chairman of the music department at Tabor Academy. He holds a bachelor of music degree from the University of Michigan. As a trombonist and euphonium player, he has performed with the Cape Cod Symphony Orchestra, the New Bedford Symphony Orchestra, and the American Band of Providence, RI.

Soprano Jessica Hague is a 1997 graduate of Plymouth North High School. A student of her mother, Maureen Hague, she has been a member of the Massachusetts District and All-State Choruses throughout high school. In 1997, she was a member of the house quartet for the All-State choral auditions. Jessica has also performed as a soloist at the Church of the Pilgrimage in Plymouth. In September, she will be attending the University of Connecticut, majoring in voice.

The concert, under the direction of Tobias Monte, will begin at 7:30 at the Robert Broomhead Bandstand on Island Wharf in Marion Village. All concerts are FREE and

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Adoptable Animals

This week the folks at the local chapter of Animal Umbrella would like to focus on three adult males who really need to move on from their foster situations. Two very large cats — one black and white short-haired, the other a silver and grey long-haired — would both do well in an indoor/outdoor situation. Please call Susan at 758-4044 to view them.

The group's third male, "Tux" (as Jackie, his foster mom calls him), just needs someone to love him. He is mostly black with a tuxedo bib, white paws, and white whiskers. He would make someone a great pet. Please call Jackie at 758-4690 to see him.

At the Fairhaven Animal Shelter on Bridge Street (across from Wal-Mart), several dogs are awaiting adoption. They include:

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- Priscilla at 758-2896;
- Trudy at 990-7806;
- Susan at 758-4044.

In the Lost and Found department this week, special attention to the party who called Animal Umbrella this past week about a neutered male black and white adult — please call them back, they may have your cat.

Sixth Annual Marion Antiques Show

The Marion Antiques Show, a benefit for the Sippican Historical Society, will take place on Saturday and Sunday, August 16 and 17, from 11:00 am to 5:00 pm in the Stone Gymnasium at Tabor Academy in Marion. Admission is $5 per person.

In addition, a Gala Preview Party will be held on Friday, August 15 from 5:30 pm to 8:30 pm. The cost is $35 per person, or $30 per person prepaid. The Preview Party tickets include hors d'oeuvres, an open bar,

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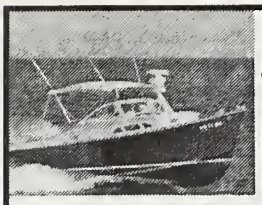

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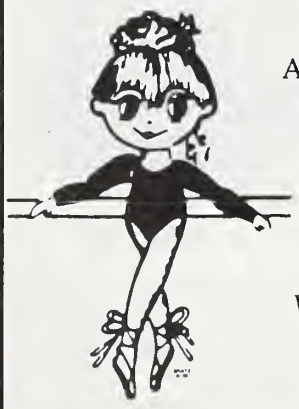

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The proceeds from this year's Marion Antiques Show will go towards the Sippican Historical Society museum renovations and a new garden design.

The Marion Antiques Show and Sale will host some of the finest antique dealers in New England. Some of the dealers who will be present at this year's show include: Stephen Score and Son of Boston, MA, who will bring a fine selection of American Folk Art; Bert and Carol Rosengarten of Medfield, MA, who will feature nineteenth century furniture and decorative arts; The Village Braider Antiques from Plymouth, MA, who will display priceless art objects from around the world; at the booth of William Nickerson of Orleans, MA, one can expect to find a wonderful selection of period American furniture; exquisite sterling silver will be featured at the booth of Kurhaus Antiques of Hingham, MA; and the Marion Antique Shop will exhibit a wonderful selection of antique Oriental rugs.

A few other exciting dealers who will be exhibiting this year include: Gentlemen's Toys of Marion, MA; Fred Mitchell of Whalemen's Shipping List of North Dartmouth, MA; Duxbury Galleries; Larry Mulaire Antiques of West Barnstable, MA; and Henry T. Callan of Sandwich, MA.

Sunday, August 17, is Heirloom Discovery Day. A highly-qualified panel of expert appraisers will be on hand from 1:00 to 3:00 pm to verbally appraise any antique article that is brought to them. There will be a charge of $15 for appraising up to three objects. The $15 fee includes admission to the show. If a piece is too big to bring in, just bring a good photograph.

A Silent Auction will also be part of the weekend festivities. Many wonderful items donated by local individuals and businesses will be sold to the highest bidder. Some of the items include a four-hour champagne cruise for up to 16 people aboard the 72-foot sailboat *Kathleen*, donated by Jim and Kathy Feeney (valued at $1,500); a two-night stay at the Summer House Bed and Breakfast in North Truro; a Bic Windsurfer Melody 350 (a $1,500 value); a billiard cabinet custom made for the Galen Stone estate donated by the Marion Antique Shop; a nineteenth-century John Taber molding plane; a woodworking lesson with master craftsman Peter Dean; and a $100 gift certificate at Cape Cod Furniture Restoration.

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Craft Fair in Rochester

The First Congregational Church of Rochester (Route 105, Rounseville Road) will hold its 24th Annual Craft Fair and Flea Market on the green at the First Congregational Church on Saturday, August 30 (rain date: Monday, September 1). The event will take place from 10:00 am to 4:00 pm. Come join them for shopping, eating, and fellowship!

Rochester Historical Commission

The Rochester Historical Commission, charged with the preservation, protection, and development of its historical and archaeological assets, is finding a fruitful source of material in the rich heritage of its past. The enthusiastic commission is currently engaged in researching and inventorying data on Old Burial Grounds and on the Homes and Churches of Historical Interest built before 1847. Approximately one-third of the town's oldest buildings, up until 1850, were researched in the 1970's and will be updated.

The commission would welcome any input of historical information pertaining to Rochester that it might not already have. If an owner of a home with historical value has, for their own interest, compiled its history and would be willing to share this research, including any relevant anecdotes or commentary, it would be much appreciated. The commission can be contacted by writing to: Rochester Historical Commission,

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When the above projects are completed, additional categories will be undertaken. The Historical Commission, working in conjunction with the Historic Preservation segment of the Master Plan Committee, realizes that its work coincides with the desire of the community to retain in every way possible the rural charm of Rochester's past. The committee's mission is to preserve the past and enhance the future.

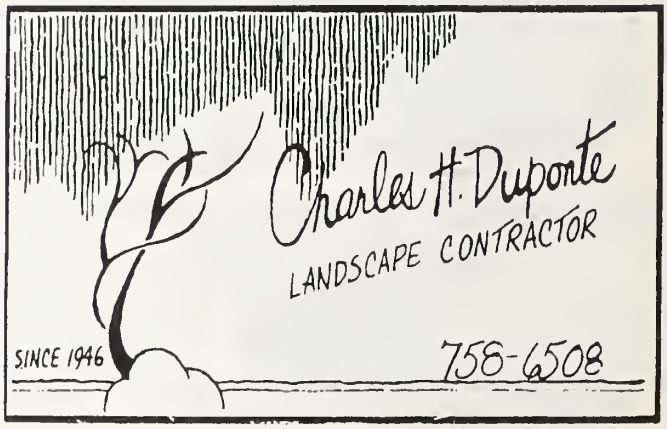
Mattapoisett Town Hall Centennial

Area residents are cordially invited to join Mattapoisett in celebrating the 100th anniversary of Town Hall. An open house will be held on Tuesday, August 19 from 5:00 to 9:00 pm at the Mattapoisett Town Hall, 16 Main Street. Those interested in attending should RSVP to Ms. Pacheco at 758-4100 (voice) or 758-3030 (fax).

Fin, Fur and Feather Club

Silhouette Shoot

The Fin, Fur and Feather Club, 35 Crystal Spring Road in Mattapoisett, will hold a Silhouette Shoot, .22 rimfire only, for pistol and rifle, open-sight or scoped, on Sunday, August 24 from 10:00 am to 2:00 pm at $2 per round. The public is also welcome for trapshooting on Sunday from 1:00 to 4:00 pm, weather-permitting, for $2.25 per round.



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Mattapoisett Library Questionnaire

The Mattapoisett Public Library has mailed out questionnaires to 3,100 households as part of its long-range planning program. Joan Anderson, Chairman of the Board of Trustees, said the results will help the board better understand how residents use the local library and other libraries and what is expected of the Mattapoisett facility.

The survey includes questions about library hours and available services and materials. Ms. Anderson asks that the survey be returned by August 15, either by dropping it off at the library or Town Hall, or by mailing it to the Mattapoisett Free Public Library, P.O. Box 475, Mattapoisett, MA 02739. The survey is sponsored by the Trustees and the Marion-Mattapoisett-Rochester League of Women Voters.

Pig Roast in Rochester

The Rochester Republican Town Committee will hold their Sixth Annual Pig Roast on August 17 at 1:00 pm on the grounds of the Rochester Grange Hall on Hartley

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Wireless Pole Subcommittee in Marion

The Marion Planning Board has established a Wireless Pole Siting Subcommittee. The mission of this subcommittee is to understand the requirements for locating radio towers within Marion. Upon completion of its studies, the subcommittee will recommend to the Planning Board suitable locations that would adequately service wireless communications.

The Planning Board will review these recommendations, use them as input in the selection of future sites for telecommunication towers, and prepare a warrant for the expansion of the new Wireless Communication Facility Overlay District which was created at the April, 1997 Annual Town Meeting. The warrant will be presented at a Special Town Meeting planned for late October of this year.

The Federal Telecommunications Act of 1996 provides for the establishment of a new wireless communications system called Personal Communications Service (PCS) which is similar to cellular communications but operates in a different frequency band. The radio towers are required to support PCS antennas. The radio towers will be of monopole design with a height of between 120 and 150 feet. A triangular antenna structure will be mounted on the tower. The tower and a small equipment building will be located on a fifty-square-foot unmanned site. To date, two companies — AT&T Wireless and Sprint — have approached the Marion Planning Board for permission to erect towers.

The subcommittee is requesting any Marion resident who has an interest in this subject and wishes to provide recommendations or comments to please contact a member of the subcommittee. Due to time required to prepare the warrant article and advertise, all comments must be received by August 15, 1997. The subcommittee members who should be contacted are Pam Norweb (748-0512), Bill Claflin (748-2516), Bob Marso (748-0306) or William Koss (748-1762).

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Fairhaven July Fourth Photos

Prints of twenty different photographs from Fairhaven's Fourth of July costume parade and the history program at Fort Phoenix, taken by freelance photographer Mike Couto, may be ordered at the town's Visitors Center, 27 Center Street. They include photos that appeared in the July 5 edition of *The Standard-Times.*

"Mike donated a set of prints to the Office of Tourism and put together an album that people may order their own prints from," said Tourism Director Christopher Richard. "People who marched in the costume parade or participated at the fort should stop in and see if they're pictured here."

Prints are available in two sizes — five by seven at $7 each, and eight by twelve at $15 each. The Office of Tourism and Visitors Center is open Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday, and Saturday from 8:30 am to 4:00 pm, and Sunday from 12:00 noon to 3:00 pm. The telephone number is 979-4085.

Mattapoisett Senior Touring Club

The following trips, slated for the Mattapoisett Senior Touring Club, are open to all interested travellers:

• September 9 - John McDermott, Irish Singer at Venus de Milo in Swansea, MA (drive your car);

• December 1 - Bright Lights, Forest Park, Springfield Christmas Display;

• December 12 through December 14 - White Mountain Hotel and Resort, Christmas entertainment featuring Anna McGoldrick.

For flyers or further information on any of these trips, please call Florence at 748-1918 or Jean at 758-6470.

Property Inspections in Rochester

Effectively immediately, two representatives from the Rochester Board of Assessors' office will be conducting inspections of properties located in the Town of Rochester. This will be ongoing for the Fiscal Year 1999 Revaluation and also for updating the current Assessors' information for fiscal year 1998. Residents' cooperation will be appreciated. Please call the Assessors' office at 763-5250 if you have any questions.

Our Lady's Feast in Fairhaven

The 67th annual Feast of Our Lady of Angels will be held on Labor Day weekend, August 30 to September 1, 1997 at 6 Jesse Street in Fairhaven, the feast grounds of Our Lady of Angels Catholic Association, the sponsors of the event since its inception in 1930.

Portuguese and American foods, live band performances, game booths, auctions, and kiddie rides are highlights of the weekend event. The feast hours are Saturday, 5:00 pm to 12:00 midnight; Sunday, 12:00 noon to 12:00 midnight; and Monday, 12:00 noon to 10:00 pm. Admission is FREE.

On Monday morning at 10:00 am, a special Mass will be held at St. Mary's Church on Main Street. Later in the day, a procession will begin on Main Street at 1:00 pm, during which the 700-pound carved wooden statue of Our Lady of Angels will be carried on the shoulders of six men. The statue was carved in 1928 by sculptor Monteiro Borges of Oporto, Portugal, and is based on the design of original statues in a church in Agua da Pau, Sao Miguel, Azores.

For more information on the feast and the weekend events, please call John Barboza at 995-9460 or Dorothy Furtado at 992-5284.

Bean Supper in Mattapoisett

An old-fashioned, homemade Baked Bean Supper will be held at the Mattapoisett Friends Meeting Hall, 103 Marion Road (Route 6) in Mattapoisett on Saturday, August 23 from 5:00 to 7:00 pm. The meal will include codfish cakes, cole slaw, corn bread or brown bread, homemade desserts, and beverage will be served continuously from 5:00 to 7:00 pm.

A joint effort of the Quakers and Mattapoisett Land Trust, proceeds will benefit the Land Trust's soil erosion project on the Munro parcel, adjacent to the town wharves. Additional tax deductible donations for this major project will be gratefully accepted.

Tickets are $8 and will be available at the door with limited seating. Reservations are recommended and can be made by calling 758-4972 or 758-3078.

Marion Council on Aging

Chicken Barbecue

The Marion Social Club is sponsoring its annual seniors Chicken Barbecue on August 17 at 12:00 noon at their club on Pumping Station Road. Admission to this popular event is only 50 cents and tickets may be obtained at the Marion COA. This year there will be entertainment included from the "Woodchoppers," a lively musical group which will keep the good times rolling. Seating is limited so hurry in the COA.

Summer Hours

The Marion COA will be open from 9:00 am to 12:30 pm for the rest of the summer. Assistance with insurance and retirement planning is always available

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Crescent Beach Whist

Every Wednesday continuing through August, Whist Parties will be held at Raymond Hall (right off Angelica Avenue) on Crescent Beach in Mattapoisett. Starting time is 7:30 pm and a small admission will be charged. A door prize, raffle, and a cool drink are all provided. Hope to see you there! For further information, please call Marsha at 748-2088 or Doddie at 748-2711.

Friends of the Elderly - Mattapoisett

Knitting

Ginny wants to thank all of you who have been knitting hats and booties. They have been given to St. Luke's Hospital. The staff was very grateful so keep them coming if you can. Also, if anyone has yarn to donate, it would be greatly appreciated. Please call Ginny at 758-9722.

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North Fairhaven Fun Fair

The North Fairhaven Improvement Association will hold its annual Family Fun Fair, Car Show and Cow Chip Contest on Sunday, August 10 from 10:00 am to 4:00 pm at Livesey Park on Glenhaven Avenue. This year the association is adding arts and crafts booths and some entertaining demonstrations to its lineup of attractions at the fair. Food and beverages will be available all day.

As of early July, there were already 20 to 25 crafts and vendors booth applications accepted, according to the fair's organizers. The car show will feature 125 to 150 antique and classic vehicles on display for judging, with trophies being awarded in several categories. In addition, this year a motorcycle show will feature as many as 100 bikes, including police motorcycles from throughout the region.

For the children there will be game booths, a dunk tank, and a series of old-fashioned field events such as tug-o-war, sack races, and wheelbarrow races. Demonstrations by Fairhaven Karate and by Susan's Dance Studio and two performances by the Magic Clown are also scheduled.

"The fair will also mark the grand opening of the Livesey Skate Park," said NFIA President Robert Cormier. "I'm hoping to have a pro skate team on hand to put on a special demonstration show." The Fairhaven Police Department will be holding a bicycle rodeo as well. Tips on bicycle safety will be given in the tennis court area.

The Cow Chip Contest is a fund raising event in which fair goers "purchase" small squares of land in a marked-off field. A well-fed cow is allowed to roam the area. Prizes are awarded to the owners of real estate upon which the cow chips fall.

The Family Fun Fair benefits the North Fairhaven Improvement Association which undertakes projects to enhance the community, such as raising funds for the Livesey Skate Park, planting flower beds at Benoit Square, sponsoring a walking tour of North Fairhaven, and holding an annual Halloween Parade and a Christmas sing-along.

Marion Art Center

Annual Members Show

The Marion Art Center's Annual Members Show will be held August 15 through September 10. All members in good standing may submit two pieces framed and labeled. The MAC commission is 30 percent, so please price accordingly. The drop-off times will be Wednesday, August 13 from 1:00 to 5:00 pm with pick-up slated for Thursday, September 11 from 1:00 to 5:00 pm. An opening reception will be held on Friday, August 15 from 5:00 to 7:00 pm.

Theater

The Young People's Theater Shows will be held on August 15 and 16, with times to be announced. The MAC production of "Sylvia" by A. R. Gurney has been

postponed until the fall.

Membership

It's time to renew your MAC membership! Membership goes from August 1 to July 31 each year. The Art Center depends on membership dues for its survival. Please consider upgrading to sponsor or patron this year. Your name will be listed in the MAC programs. And, of course, angels receive special recognition in appreciation of their support.

This past year the Marion Art Center hosted the First Annual Buzzards Bay Musicfest, Gatsby at the Boathouse Benefit, "Stairway to Paradise" show to benefit Tobey Hospital, Music at the Moorings Benefit for the Music Hall, meetings of the Marion Garden Discussion Group, meetings of the League of Women Voters, and also presented scholarships to art and music students both in-house and in the area.

The Art Center also produced "I Hate Hamlet," the Matt Richard Trio concert, "84 Charing Cross Road," and the Young People's Theater shows "Peter Pan," "Second Best Bed," "Where the Wild Things Are," "The Other Brother Grimm," and "The Tree Prince."

Early Childhood Program

"How can we help you?" This question headed a survey recently sent to the homes of all families with children from birth to age 8 in the tri-town area. Responses are trickling in, but the Early Childhood Program needs to hear from more of you. The Tri-Town Early Childhood Advisory Council is updating information on the needs of families with young children. This provides them with current data to assist in seeking grants for early childhood services. If you need a copy of the survey, contact the Early Childhood Office at 748-1863.

Help for Working Families is a program which provides subsidies to working families of children age three and four who are enrolled in preschool, child care, or summer camp programs. The subsidy is based on a sliding scale. A family of four earning less than $54,000 is eligible for a subsidy. Programs participating in this project at The Children's Depot and Loft School in Marion, Little People's College, family child care providers Cynthia Dawicki and Kerry Riggs, Camp Massasoit in Mattapoisett, Circle of Friends, family child care provider Marybeth Carlsen in Rochester, Long Plain Christian Nursery School in Acushnet, and Cathedral Camp in East Freetown. For application information, please call Jane Taylor in the Early Childhood Office (748-1863).

The Project GROW integrated preschool program has mailed applications to all age-eligible children. Mailing labels are provided by the individual Town Halls based on town census information. *All applications must be updated yearly.* If you are interested in this opportunity for your child, watch for the application to arrive at your home in early August. Extras will be available at the Office of the Superintendent, 135 Marion Road, Mattapoisett.

Marion Natural History Museum

Gift Shop

The Marion Natural History Museum located above the Elizabeth Taber Library on Spring Street in Marion, has many new items in its gift shop. Some of these include educational toys, card games, as well as animal and dinosaur replicas. Other items include favorites such as jewelry made by local crafts people, posters, books, and much more. All proceeds will benefit the museum. The museum's open hours are Wednesday, 10:00 am to 2:00 pm, and Saturday, 10:00 am to 12:00 noon.

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Comic book *Spawns* contrived, adolescent summer cartoon flick

BY ROB GONSALVES

■ *Spawn.* Starring Michael Jai White and John Leguizamo. Directed by Mark A. Z. Dippé. Running time: 87 minutes. MPAA rating: PG-13. At Cinema 140 in New Bedford.

The first of many times I came close to walking out of *Spawn* came right near the beginning. The good guy (actually not-so-good-guy), a government assassin who wants to retire, has been set up by his diabolical boss. Just before the boss torches the hero, we get the following exchange:

Hero: "If you touch my wife, you're a dead man."

Bad guy: "*You're* the dead man."

What are we, in kindergarten? Now, I have nothing against chowder-headed dialogue if it's funny and delivered with a deadpan wink — if the filmmakers looked at the script and said, "This sucks, but let's have some fun with it." A recent example is Jon Voight's immortal line in *Anaconda:* "I am not the bad guy. *I* did not eat the captain." But *Spawn,* a wannabe hybrid of *Batman* and *Darkman* and *The Crow,* is too grim and vengeful to laugh at itself. Besides, there's too much at stake — all those ugly action figures to sell. What's worse, its attempts at *intentional* humor (mostly fart jokes) fall utterly flat.

The aforementioned hero (Michael Jai White, who played Mike Tyson in an HBO biopic) goes to Hell and turns into Spawn, an undead hero who would be nowhere without his snazzy computer-animated costume — it's like the Batmobile with toes. His mission is to get revenge on his boss Dr. Evil — er, I mean Jason Wynn (Martin Sheen) — and his *La Femme Nikita* henchwoman Jessica Priest (Melinda Clarke). He receives instructions from two

opposing gurus: a waddling, loathsome little troll called Clown (John Leguizamo, trying too hard to steal the movie) and a wise, mysterious Ben Kenobi clone named Cogliostro (Nicol Williamson, distracting himself with thoughts of his paycheck).

The chief ineptitude of *Spawn* is that it doesn't know what audience it's aiming at. Is it going after the kids who read the comic book and play with the toys? Is it for the 15-to-25 demographic who watched the "mature" *Spawn* animated series on HBO? If it's meant to snare the uninitiated, I must say it failed to hook me. If it's simply a fan's movie, I've heard *Spawn*-heads yawn and recommend the film for its computer effects — not quite a ringing endorsement. In the end, *Spawn* is too juvenile for those who loved *The Crow* and too dark and violent for kids who would actually laugh at the fart jokes.

Spawn creator Todd McFarlane sat on this sacred turkey for a while before giving it to rookie director Mark Dippé, a former ILM wizard who worked on *Terminator 2* and *Jurassic Park.* Too bad he didn't learn from those films, which seamlessly *integrated* their amazing computer effects with the live action. Here, Dippé brings the movie to a dead stop every few minutes so we can look at some more computer animation, which looks exactly like what it is: computer animation. The movie's vision of Hell is depressingly cheesy.

Spawn isn't even a good demo tape for computer animation, and if you don't enjoy the effects, you start squinting at your watch. That is, when you aren't squinting at the screen. *Spawn* is consistently underlit and edited with a Cuisinart — it's worse than *Batman and Robin.* Will someone tell these hot-shot directors that we occasionally like to *see what's going on?* Just a suggestion.

MOVIE LISTINGS

■ CINEMA 140

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Spawn (PG-13) – *In Dolby Digital Surround Stereo!*
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Contact (PG) – 12:00, 3:00, 6:45, 9:40

My Best Friend's Wedding (PG-13) – 12:15, 2:15, 4:30, 7:00, 9:00

Conspiracy Theory* (R) – 12:00, 2:40, 6:45, 9:30

Air Force One (R) – *In DTS Surround Stereo!*
12:00, 2:30, 5:00, 7:30, 9:50

Men In Black (PG-13) – 12:30, 2:30, 5:00, 7:15, 9:15

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■ GENERAL CINEMA 8

Route 6 and Faunce Corner Road, North Dartmouth, MA.
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Friday (August 8) through Thursday (August 14)

Hercules (G) – 1:00, 3:00, 5:00

Air Bud (PG) – 12:50, 3:00, 5:10, 7:20, 9:30

Nothing To Lose (R) – Fri: 1:00, 3:10, 5:20, 7:30, 9:40;
Sat: 1:00, 3:10, 5:05, 9:40; Sun-Thu: 1:00, 3:10, 5:20, 7:30, 9:40

Face/Off (R) – 1:20, 4:00, 7:00, 9:40

George of the Jungle (PG) – 12:50, 3:10, 5:10, 7:30, 9:30

Picture Perfect (PG-13) – 12:40, 2:50, 5:00, 7:10, 9:30

Out To Sea (PG-13) – 7:00, 9:20

How To Be A Player (R) – 12:40, 2:50, 4:50, 6:50, 9:00

Good Burger (PG) – 1:10, 3:20, 5:20, 7:20, 9:20

G.I. Jane (R) – *Sneak Preview Sat. (8/9) at 7:30 pm only!*

General Cinema Web Site: www.gctheatres.com

Meteor Shower

On August 11 (rain date: August 12) at 8:00 pm, the Marion Natural History Museum will host a Perseid Meteor Shower Watch at Silvershell Beach with astronomer David Pierce. A suggested donation of $4 is requested for the program.

Fairhaven Council on Aging

Weekly Schedule

• Monday through Friday - The COA offers medical transportation, a reassurance program for seniors living alone, an elderly nutrition program lunch at the Senior Center (call 24 hours in advance to order a meal), and a social day program.

• Monday, Wednesday and Friday - Walking club (please call the senior center for time and meeting place).

• Tuesday, Thursday and Friday - Grocery shopping trips for seniors without transportation.

• Wednesday - Social group at the senior center, Bingo, cards, socializing and shuffle board from 1:00 pm until 3:30 pm.

• Wednesday and Friday - Poker from 1:00 pm until 3:30 pm.

Mall Trips

• August 13 - Cape Cod Mall, Hyannis, MA;

• August 20 - Warwick Mall, Warwick, RI;

• August 27 - Christmas Tree Shop, Middletown, RI.

Seating is limited, so call early to make reservations (979-4029).

Reassurance Program

This program is designed to accommodate seniors living alone. A daily phone call to us will ensure all is well. If we do not hear from you we will call to check on you. Anyone wishing to participate in the program, please call the Senior Center at 979-4081.

Legal Clinic

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Rochester Seeks SRPEDD Rep

The Board of Selectmen in Rochester is searching for an interested volunteer to serve as its liaison to the Southeast Regional Planning and Economic Development District (SRPEDD). SRPEDD serves as the region's planning agency and the representative will keep the board informed about all regional planning issues affecting the Town of Rochester. Meetings are generally

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The following log excerpts are for the week of July 28 through August 3, 1997:

- St. Francis School - vandalism
- Perry Hill Road - alarm holdup/banks
- South Main Street - assault with hands/fists/adult arrest (assault and battery on household member)
- Main Street - larceny/ breaking and entering into motor vehicle
- Main Street - domestic disturbance
- Lawson Avenue - domestic disturbance/protective custody
- Diane Street - impounded dog/dangerous animal
- Main Street - breaking and entering/forced entry
- Crandon Drive - impounded dog/dangerous animal
- Lantern Lane - disturbance/ noise complaint
- St. Francis School - humane call/injured animal
- Main Street - robbery by firearm
- Middle Road - disturbance/ noise complaint
- Tootle Lane - shots fired
- Peckham Road - disturbance/ noise complaint
- Buttonwood Lane - disturbance/noise complaint
- Blueberry Drive - harassment
- Helen Street - personal threats
- Nye's Lane - disturbance/ noise complaint
- Laura Keene Avenue - disturbance/noise complaint
- Cox Street - disturbance/ noise complaint
- Main Street - trespassing
- Tarklin Hill Road - domestic disturbance
- Middle Road - summons issued (impeded operation of motor vehicle, seat beat violation, negligent operation)
- Slocum Street - motor vehicle accident/hit and run
- Main Street - adult arrest (fugitive from justice)
- South Main Street - domestic disturbance
- Nye's Lane - annoying/ obscene phone calls
- Peckham Road - adult arrests (assault and battery, breaking and entering, assault and battery with a dangerous weapon, destruction of property)
- Main Street - adult arrest (operating with suspended license, speeding)
- Reservation Road - disturbance/noise complaint
- Wing Road - adult arrests (assault and battery with dangerous weapon)
- Main Street - adult arrest (operating under the influence, drinking alcohol from an open container, operating with suspended license)
- Angora Avenue - vandalism.

MARION

The following log excerpts are for the week of July 27 through August 2, 1997:

- Wareham Road - protective custody
- Shell Heap Road - medical emergency
- Wareham Road - larceny/past
- Front Street - missing person
- Point Road - protective custody/disorderly person
- Point Road - fireworks complaint
- Spring Street - larceny/past
- Indian Cove Road - larceny/ past
- Route 195 West - adult arrest (larceny by check, default warrant)
- Wareham Road - motor vehicle accident/property damage
- Delano Road - disturbance
- Wareham Road - larceny/past
- County Road - animal complaint
- Converse Road - motor vehicle accident/property damage
- Inland Road - animal complaint
- Spring Street - larceny/past
- Front Street - vandalism/ past
- Island Wharf Road - breaking and entering/past
- Point Road - larceny/past
- Moorings Road - larceny/past
- Wareham Road - noise complaint.

MATTAPOISETT

The following log excerpts are for the week of July 30 through August 5, 1997:

- Fairhaven Road - suspicious activity
- Fairhaven Road - burglary/ breaking and entering
- Fairhaven Road - burglary/ breaking and entering: Mattapoisett Diner
- Marion Road - burglary/ breaking and entering
- Dexter Lane - speeding complaint
- Fairhaven Road - larceny
- Fairhaven Road - operating under the influence/adult arrest
- Long Plain Road - adult arrest (warrant)
- County Road - disturbance/ fight
- Brant Beach Avenue - loud neighbors
- Fairhaven Road - adult arrest (warrant)
- County Road - operating with revoked license
- Water Street - loose dog
- Brandt Island Cove - domestic disturbance/in progress
- Bay View Avenue - barking dog complaint
- Water Street - simple threats
- Third Street - burglary/ breaking and entering
- Homestead Court - harassing phone calls
- Marion Road - motor vehicle accident
- Acushnet Road - recovered suitcase.

ROCHESTER

The following log excerpts are for the week of July 28 through August 4, 1997:

- Mary's Pond Road - suspicious motor vehicle
- Middleboro Lane - vandalism
- Randall Road - noise complaint
- Mary's Pond Road - dirt bike complaint
- Pine Street - motorcycle complaint
- Walnut Plain Road - suspicious motor vehicle
- Neck Road - civil complaint
- Walnut Plain Road - motor vehicle accident
- Ryder Road - speeding
- Bennett Road - adult arrest (warrant)
- Mary's Pond Road - suspicious activity
- County Road - vandalism
- County Road - suspicious activity
- Mary's Pond Road - suspicious activity
- Snipatuit Road - barking dog
- New Bedford Water Works - suspicious activity
- Coombs Road - threats
- Sarah Sherman Road - suspicious motor vehicle.

during the evening hours in Taunton. Interested volunteers are encouraged to send letters of interest to the Board of Selectmen, c/o Executive Secretary Russell Dean. For more information about the position, please call the Rochester Town Hall at 763-3871.

Friends Looking for Friends

The Friends of the Friends Meetinghouse, a volunteer group which supports the restoration and operation of the 1759 Long Plain Friends Meetinghouse in Acushnet, is looking for new members. The Friends of the Friends, as they are known among themselves, is a loosely-organized group which collects no dues, asks for no financial contributions from its members, and only meets occasionally. But the work it does, supporting the restoration and cooperating in the activities held at the venerable meetinghouse, is important and rewarding.

The Long Plain Friends Meetinghouse, located at 1341 Main Street in the northern part of Acushnet, was built in 1759 and operated as a Quaker meetinghouse until 1965. In 1985, a group of Acushnet residents, concerned about the dilapidated condition of the old building, approached the Quakers, who were also worried that they were unable to finance the building's upkeep. This meeting eventually resulted in the property (2.57 beautiful acres, including a burial ground) being turned over to the Acushnet Historical Commission, which then proceeded to get the property listed on the U.S. National Register of Historic Places, and embarked on a five-year-project to completely restore the building. A rededication and the startup of a modest Quaker Museum occurred in 1991.

The Friends of the Friends open the meetinghouse and its museum to the public every Sunday afternoon during the summer months and sponsor three FREE summer concerts on the meetinghouse lawn. For more information, please call 763-5368, 763-5849, or 763-2488.

Teddy Bear Parade in Fairhaven

Children of all ages are invited to bring their favorite bear(s) and a picnic lunch to the Millicent Library's 13th Annual Teddy Bear Parade and Picnic on Wednesday, August 13 at 10:00 am. Old bears, new bears, Paddington and Pooh bears will be escorted along the tree-shaded brick sidewalks at the library and the Unitarian Memorial Church in the historic town center. Bear owners may bring wagons or strollers for bears who are not old enough to walk yet. After the parade, bears and friends can spread blankets on the lawn to share a picnic lunch.

Each year the Teddy Bear Parade and Picnic serves as the finale of the Wednesday morning children's programs at the Millicent Library. It's a very popular activity, especially for the bears, who don't often get out to socialize. One particularly outspoken teddy bear recently commented: "This event brings the teddy bear back in the limelight. Lately the dinosaurs and spacemen have gotten all the starring roles in movies and TV. We bears feel left out sometimes." Another bear likes the picnic part of the morning best: "I always leave feeling stuffed," she said.

For more information about the Teddy Bear Parade and Picnic, please call the Millicent Library at 992-5342. The library is located at 45 Center Street in Fairhaven.

Outdoor Concerts in Fairhaven

The "Big Band" sound, square dancing, music of the '60's, and more will fill the historic center of Fairhaven on Thursday evenings this summer when the Fairhaven Improvement Association presents its annual "Music in the Center" series of free concerts. The outdoor concerts take place on the Town Hall steps at 7:00 pm. Concert-goers should bring their own lawn chairs or blankets. A section of Center Street will be closed to traffic, giving people the opportunity to dance if they wish to. Colorful street chalk will be available for children to use to create artwork in the street as well.

Summer concert performances will include:

- August 14 - Fanfare Brass;
- August 21 - reserved as a rain date, should any shows be postponed.

The concerts are all free-of-charge and are sponsored by the Fairhaven Improvement Association assisted with funding from the Fairhaven Cultural Council.

Medal of Honor Veterans

The Veterans Service Office for the towns of Mattapoisett and Rochester received correspondence from the U.S. Naval Reserve Commander, Captain R. H. Deusch, Naval Air Station, South Weymouth, in reference to Medal of Honor recipients. The Department of Navy is outlining a proposal to erect a memorial dedicated to the Medal of Honor recipients in Plymouth and Norfolk counties. It is imperative that we appropriately recognize and never forget the supreme sacrifices they made for their country.

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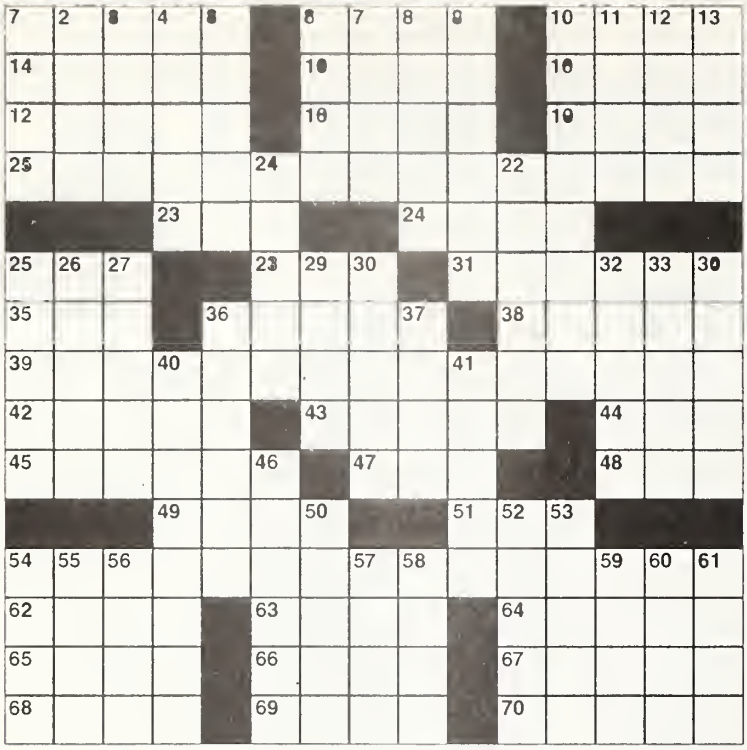

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This Week's Horoscope

by Linda Black

Aries (March 21-April 19). Gather in the money. Put your massive intelligence to work to solve a work-related problem. Proceed with caution.

Taurus (April 20-May 20). Set your course. Be careful with your money and simply hoard it. Your destiny seems apparent, but study is still required to get there.

Gemini (May 21-June 21). Finish up old business and put your mind at rest. Start something new, although you don't quite know how. Go over what you've done and assess the damages.

Cancer (June 22-July 22). Heed a friend's advice. Pay off an old debt. Keep a low profile. You're back in control soon. An old antagonist loses power.

Leo (July 23-Aug. 22). Take it easy. Organize your team so you can whip the opposition. Recuperate. No stressful activities allowed.

Virgo (Aug. 23-Sept. 22). Make a distant contact. Geminis will be talking freely. Find out whatever you want to know by asking.

Libra (Sept. 23-Oct. 23). Sign up for classes or a cruise. Work out a good compromise. You'll be exceptionally intelligent. Rest on your laurels.

Scorpio (Oct. 24-Nov. 21). Review your finances so you can go shopping. Follow through on a commitment, but don't make any new ones.

Sagittarius (Nov. 22-Dec. 21). You'll get a good argument or two out of your partner. That ought to be fun. Don't even bother to put up a fight. It's not worth the effort.

Capricorn (Dec. 22-Jan. 19). You're busy as a hive of bees. Sequester yourself with your paperwork. You can reach a compromise with your partner.

Aquarius (Jan. 20-Feb. 18). Write up your latest research. You'll find all the right words. Do the edit. Let yourself be attracted by an opposite type.

Pisces (Feb. 19-March 20). Stay home and work on a household project. Finish it up, but don't start a new one. You and your sweetheart need to talk ... alone.

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Music at the Meetinghouse

Ed Priest, featuring family entertainment at its best, will appear at the Long Plain Friends Meetinghouse, 1341 Main Street in Acushnet, as the third concert in the tenth season of "Music at the Meetinghouse" series. The concert will be held on Saturday evening, August 23 at 7:00 pm. The FREE summer concerts are held on the lawn

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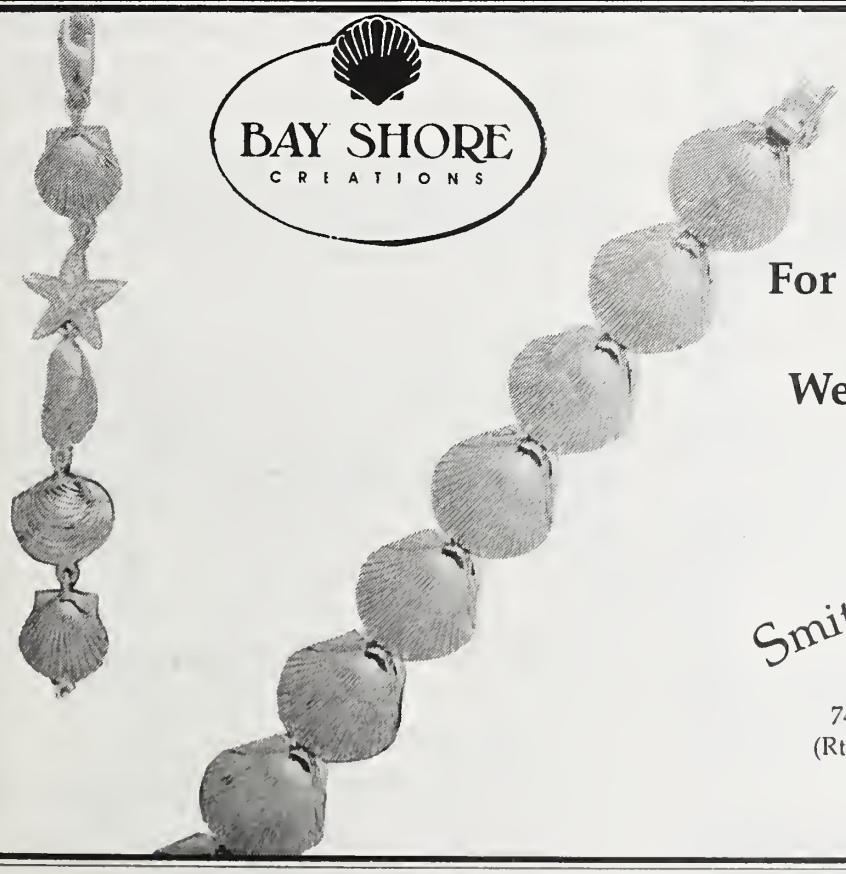

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

The following bylaw changes which were accepted at the Annual Town Meeting which convened on April 28, 1997, have been approved by the Office of the Attorney General, and are published herewith in accordance with current regulations. Claims of invalidity of any of the amendments to the bylaw by reason of any defect in the procedure of adoption or replacement may only be made within ninety days of the second publication (August 15, 1997) or November 13, 1997.

Copies of the bylaw may be examined in the Office of the Town Clerk, Town House, 2 Spring Street, Marion, Massachusetts, or they may be purchased from the Town Clerk for $20.00.

Article 3
Article II

Amend the Marion by-laws, Article II, by adding as follows, Section Ten. On matters requiring a two-thirds vote by statute, a count need not be taken unless the vote so declared by the Moderator is immediately questioned by seven or more voters, as provided in General Law, Chapter 39, section 15; and add Section Eleven. The Warrant for an Annual or Special Town Meeting may specify that the meeting is to be held in a suitable auditorium or other facility in any of the contiguous towns. Town Meeting may also vote to adjourn to such a facility if it deems appropriate, as provided in section 1 of Chapter 448 of the Acts of 1996.

Article 22
Article XXVI

Amend the Marion by-laws by adding Article XXVI, Animal Control By-law, as follows:

"ARTICLE XXVI

"ANIMAL CONTROL BY-LAW

"Section 1. Definitions: As used in this by-law, the following terms mean:

Owner: Any person, group of persons or corporation owning or keeping or harboring a dog or dogs.

Restraint: A dog is under restraint within the meaning of this ordinance if he is under the control and beside a competent person and obedient to that person's command or on or within the property limits of its owner or keeper.

Dog pound: Any premises designated by action of the Town for the purpose of impounding dogs and caring for all dogs found running at large in violation of this ordinance.

Animal Control Officer: The person or persons employed by the Town as the enforcement officer.

"Section 2. Enforcement: The provisions of this by-law shall be enforced by the Animal Control Officer or Animal Control Officers.

"Section 3. Restraint: The owner shall keep his dog under restraint at all times.

"Section 4. Impoundment fees: Any dog impounded hereunder may be reclaimed as herein provided upon payment by the owner to the Animal Control Officer of the sum of $10.00 for each day such dog is kept.

"Section 5. Confinement of certain dogs:

a. The owner shall confine within a building or secure enclosure every fierce, dangerous or vicious dog and not take such dog out of such building or secure enclosure unless such dog is securely muzzled and upon a leash. The Animal Control Officer may destroy any such dog which is found not to be so confined and without such a muzzle.

b. The owner shall confine within a building or secure enclosure any dog that has been impounded more than twice by the Animal Control Officer and not take such dog out of such building or secure enclosure unless such a dog is well secured by a leash. Failure to do so may result in such dog being taken permanently.

"Section 6. Penalties for the violation of any provision of this by-law shall be assessed and collected in accordance with the procedure established under Massachusetts General Laws, Chapter 140, section 173A (Non-criminal Disposition of Complaints for Violation of Dog Control Laws), provided, however, that the fine for each violation, including the first offense, shall be the sum of twenty-five ($25.00) dollars."

Article 32
Article X

Amend the zoning by-laws of Marion by adding the following provision regarding storage of fuel oils:

Item 1. Add the following entry to Section 4.2, the Table of Principal Uses, after "Fuel Oil Storage/Aboveground":

Article 33
Article X

Amend the zoning by-laws of Marion by making the following changes to Section 6.5.3, "Parking Chart":

R	LB	GB	MB	LI	FH	WS	RE	SW	OS	CP
	SP	SP	SP	P						

Residential Unit	2 spaces, per residential unit
Rooming House	2 spaces, plus 1 space per rental room

Article 34
Article X

Amend the zoning by-laws of Marion by making the following changes to Section 6.2.2, Signs in Residential Districts and Section 6.2.6, Signs Allowed by Special Permit:

Item 1. In Section 6.2.2, add a new sentence to the end as follows:

d) Signs for proposed subdivision projects. These signs shall include the name of the developer, the size and scope of the proposed subdivision, as well as the date of the definitive subdivision hearing. The sign shall have an aggregate area of forty-eight (48) square feet and shall be located on the subdivision's proposed access front.

Item 2. In Section 6.2.6, add a new sentence to the end as follows:

d) Community Service Signs that seek to inform the community of upcoming civic events are permitted, provided that no such sign shall be permitted which would habitually be detrimental or offensive or tend to reduce property values in the immediate neighborhood. Signs shall remain for no longer than forty-five (45) days. Such period may be extended for an additional forty-five- (45-) day period by the special permit granting authority upon the written request of the applicant.

Article 35
Article X

Amend the zoning by-laws of Marion by making the following changes in Section 6:

6.6 Visual Screening

A visual screen not less than six (6) feet in height (a solid fence, wall or strip of densely planted trees and/or shrubs) shall be provided for each of the following:

a. Off-street open parking areas of more than 10 spaces or more than 2

of the historic (1759) old meetinghouse and FREE refreshments are served at intermission.

"Music at the Meetinghouse" concerts are held Saturday evenings on the lawn of the fully-restored colonial Long Plain Friends Meetinghouse. The concerts are co-sponsored by the Friends of the Friends Meetinghouse and ACTION (Acushnet Citizens Together Improving Our Neighborhoods). These concerts are also supported, in part, by a grant from the Acushnet Cultural Council, a local agency supported by the Massachusetts Cultural Council, a state agency. Admission is FREE, and refreshments are served at intermission along with FREE tours of the Quaker Museum during the hour preceding the concerts. Please bring folding chairs and/or blankets.

The Long Plain Friends Meetinghouse and its Quaker Museum are open for visits from 1:00 to 4:00 pm every Sunday through September 7. Admission is FREE.

Tobey Hospital Guild

The Tobey Hospital Guild Gift Shop is now open on Monday through Friday, 11:00 am to 4:00 pm. The location of the shop is near the new main entrance at Tobey Hospital. The guild hopes that visitors will take advantage of the many new items that have been added to the gift shop.

Rochester Council on Aging

The Rochester Council on Aging is looking for a person who is interested in filling a vacant position on the COA. Anyone interested should call 763-8723 or send a letter of interest to: Rochester Council on Aging, 1 Constitution Way, Rochester, MA 02770.

Mattapoisett Land Trust

A prime waterfront site in Mattapoisett village is heading for a major facelift if plans by the Mattapoisett Land Trust materialize and the public supports the necessary fund raising. The project — expected to cost in excess of $100,000 — is designed to halt erosion on the so-called Munro parcel and to restore a seawall. The work would also help alleviate the erosion threat to the town's westernmost access road to the wharves and is being

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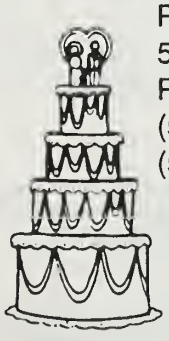

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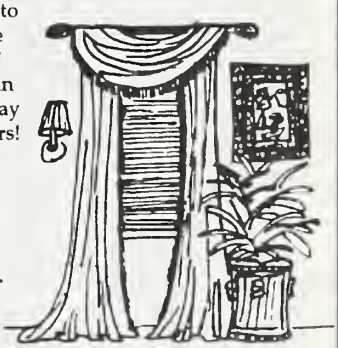

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b. All exterior storage areas exceeding four hundred (400) square feet in or adjacent to a residential district.

c. All exterior service areas of a business or industrial use.

Article 36
Article X

Amend the Marion zoning by-laws, relative to wireless communications facilities, as follows:

Item 1. Add the following to Section 3.1, after "Surface Water District":

Wireless Communications Facilities Overlay District

Item 2. Add a new section 3.2.4, as follows:

3.2.4 Wireless Communications Facilities Overlay District as delineated on an overlay map, entitled "Wireless Communications Facilities Overlay District, Town of Marion", hereby made a part of this zoning by-law, and on file in the office of the Town Clerk.

Item 3. Delete, from section 4.2, the entries for "Towers" and for "Radio Transmitters" in their entireties.

Item 4. In section 5.1, note (10) penultimate paragraph, add the following sentences at the end of the paragraph:

Nothing in this section shall be construed to exempt wireless communications facilities from this by-law. See section 8.10.

Item 5. Add the following new section 8.10:

SECTION 8.10 WIRELESS COMMUNICATIONS FACILITIES (WCF) OVERLAY DISTRICT

8.10.1 PURPOSE. The purpose of this section is to establish areas in which wireless communications facilities may be provided while protecting Marion's unique community character. The WCF Overlay District has been created (a) to provide for safe and appropriate siting of wireless communications facilities consistent with the Telecommunications Act of 1996, and (b) to minimize visual impacts from such facilities on residential districts and scenic areas within Marion.

8.10.2. LOCATION. The WCF District shall be located as follows:

Lot 14 on Assessors' plan 6; lot 54 on Assessors' plan 15

8.10.3. APPLICABILITY. The WCF District shall be construed as an overlay district with regard to said locations. All requirements of the underlying zoning shall remain in full force and effect, except as may be specifically superseded herein.

8.10.4. SUBMITTAL REQUIREMENTS. As part of any application for a special permit, applicants shall submit, at a minimum, the information required for site plan approval, as set forth herein at Section 9. Applicants shall also describe the capacity of the facility, including the number and types of antennas that it can accommodate and the basis for the calculation of capacity.

8.10.5. SPECIAL PERMIT. A wireless communications facility may be erected in the WCF District upon the issuance of a special permit by the Planning Board if the Board determines that the adverse effects of the proposed facility will not outweigh its beneficial impacts as to the town or the neighborhood, in view of the particular characteristics of the site, and of the proposal in relation to that site. The determination shall include consideration of each of the following:

a. Communications needs served by the facility;

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b. Traffic flow and safety, including parking and loading;

c. Adequacy of utilities and other public services;

d. Impact on neighborhood character, including aesthetics;

e. Impacts on the natural environment, including visual impacts;

f. Potential fiscal impact, including impact on Town services, tax base, and employment;

g. New monopoles shall be considered only upon a finding that existing or approved monopoles or facilities cannot accommodate the equipment planned for the proposed monopole.

8.10.7. CONDITIONS. All wireless communications facilities shall be subject to the following conditions:

a. To the extent feasible, service providers shall co-locate on a single facility. Monopoles shall be designed to structurally accommodate foreseeable users (within a ten-year period) where technically practicable.

b. New free-standing facilities shall be limited to monopoles; no lattice towers shall be permitted. Monopole height shall not exceed 100' above mean finished ground elevation at the base of the mounting structure; provided, however, that a monopole may be erected higher than 100' where co-location is approved or proposed, not to exceed a height of 130' above mean finished ground elevation at the base of the mounting structure.

c. Wireless communications facilities may be placed upon or inside existing buildings or structures, including water tanks and towers, church spires, electrical transmission lines, and the like. In such cases, the facility height shall not exceed twenty (20) feet above the height of the existing structure or building.

d. All structures associated with wireless communications facilities shall be removed within one year of cessation of use. The Board may require a performance guarantee to effect this result.

e. To the extent feasible, all network interconnections from the communications facility shall be via land lines.

f. Existing on-site vegetation shall be preserved to the maximum extent practicable.

g. The facility shall minimize, to the extent feasible, adverse visual effects on the environment. The Planning Board may impose reasonable conditions to ensure this result, including painting, lighting standards, landscaping, and screening.

h. Traffic associated with the facility shall not adversely affect public ways.

i. Fencing may be required to control unauthorized entry to wireless communications facilities.

j. The setback of the WCF from the property line shall be determined by the Planning Board based on the specific proposal presented. In no case will the setback be less than forty (40) feet."

Boston, Massachusetts
The foregoing amendments to the zoning bylaws adopted under Articles 32, 33, 34, 35 and 36 and 3 and 22 of the town bylaw of the warrant for the Annual Town Meeting that convened April 28, 1997 are hereby approved.
SCOTT HARSHBARGER
ATTORNEY GENERAL
Jonathan A. Abbott
Assistant Attorney General July 22, 1997 08/8, 08/15

designed to help prevent the undermining of a part of Mello Wharf.

"The work we plan is as much to protect the town's interest in its waterfront property as it is to prevent further erosion on the Munro parcel," said Randall Kunz, the Mattapoisett Land Trust president. Approval to move forward with the project and to launch a major fund drive to pay for its costs came at a meeting of the Land Trust's Board of Directors in June.

The Munro parcel — a gift of Ruth Bowditch Munro — contains one acre and was the first piece of land given to the Trust shortly after its formation in 1974. It has been maintained in its natural state since then. Its location in the heart of the village and has been a source of serenity to residents and passersby, providing an unobstructed view of Mattapoisett Harbor.

Over the years, storms and natural erosion have either destroyed or badly damaged what was once a cut stone seawall that ran most of the length of the property which lies on Main and Water Streets, opposite the foot of Pearl Street. Some of the stones now lie 10 to 15 feet out into the harbor at high tide.

The project calls for a new sloped stone revetment running about 150 feet to the west of Mello Wharf at the mean high water mark. About 175 feet of the damaged seawall would then be reconstructed to the west of the revetment. Work would be done in two phases, the first phase involving the revetment and the second the seawall.

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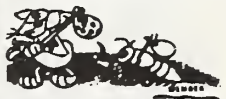

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Representatives of the Land Trust already have been in touch with state officials for their input on what work would be allowed under current regulations. Project plans are being developed by N. Douglas Schneider and Associates, professional civil engineers.

Because the purpose of the Land Trust is to acquire and hold land for conservation purposes, it was thought the best way to fund the project would be through a special fund drive by which the public would know its gifts would be used expressly for that purpose. The drive would kick off during Harbor Days, combining the Trust's current membership drive with the special fundraising. During the harbor gala, Trust representatives

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LEGAL NOTICES

TOWN OF MATTAPOISETT
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARINGS

Notice is hereby given that the Mattapoisett Board of Appeals will hold a Public Hearing on the following application and petitions:

Petition of John S. Cooper of 45 Main Street, Mattapoisett, MA 02739 re property located at 45 Main Street. The petitioner is seeking a Variance under Section V.E.2.b. of the Zoning By-Law to create an in-law apartment above the garage for family use. The property is further described as Lot 37, Plat 10 on the Assessors Map. The hearing will be held in the Selectmen's Office on Thursday, August 21, 1997 at 7:00 P.M. #804

Petition of Peter Noyer of 68 Lover's Lane, Putnam Valley, New York 10579 re property located at 94 Marion Road. The petitioner is seeking a Variance under Section V.H.1.a. of the Zoning By-Law to create a one (1) bedroom apartment over an existing business. The property is further described as Lot 144, Plat 5 on the Assessors Map. The hearing will be held in the Selectmen's Office on Thursday, August 21, 1997 at 7:20 P.M. #805

Petition and Application of Susan A. Fine of 9 Cliffwood Street, Lenox, MA 01240 re property located at 20 Silver Shell Avenue. The petitioner is seeking a Variance under Section VI.E. and a Special Permit under Section III.A.2.b. of the Zoning By-Law to raze an existing dwelling and replace with an elevated structure. The property is further described as Lot 209, Plat 5A on the Assessors Map. The hearing will be held in the Selectmen's Office on Thursday, August 21, 1997 at 7:40 P.M. #806

Complete applications and plans as filed are available for inspection in the Office of the Town Clerk during normal office hours.
Sincerely,
William D. Armitage, Chairperson
Jeffrey R. Chase
Nancy L. O'Brien
Robert Bertrand
Girard F. Oliva 08/08, 08/15

LEGAL NOTICES

TOWN OF ROCHESTER
PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the Rochester Board of Selectmen will conduct a public hearing on the application of Charles J. and Claire R. Woodward, d/b/a C&C Auto Brokers, 601 Mary's Pond Road, for a Class II auto dealers license. Public hearing will be conducted on Monday, August 11, 1997 at 7:05 P.M. in the Conference Room of the Rochester Town Hall.
Rochester Board of Selectmen
Richard D. Cutler, Chairman
William D. Chamberlain
Lorraine Roy Hawkes 08/01, 08/08

TOWN OF ROCHESTER
BOARD OF APPEALS

#676 Notice is hereby given that the Rochester Board of Appeals will conduct a public hearing on the petition of William Flaherty who is seeking a variance from setback requirements under Section VIII B of protective by-laws. Property is identified as 96 Clapp Road, Assessors Plan 30, Lot 40F. Public Hearing will be conducted on Thursday, August 28, 1997 at 7:30 P.M. in the Conference Room of the Rochester Town Hall.
Charles Wolf, Chairman 08/08, 08/15

TOWN OF ROCHESTER
BOARD OF APPEALS

Notice is hereby given that the Rochester Board of Selectmen will conduct a public hearing on the application of Michael C. Murphy, d/b/a Murphy's Auto Salvage, 35 County Road, for a Class III license to buy, sell, exchange or assemble second-hand motor vehicles or parts thereof. Hearing will be conducted on Monday, August 25, 1997 at 8:00 P.M. in the Conference Room of the Rochester Town Hall.
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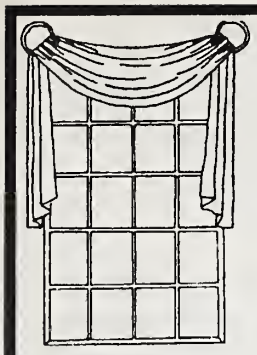

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The Mattapoisett Land Trust currently has about 162 members. The membership includes one club — the Mattapoisett Lions Club — and one religious organization — the Mattapoisett Friends Meeting (Quaker). The Trust's membership committee is presently considering proposals to attract businesses and other organizations to support it on an annual basis.

The Mattapoisett Land Trust now owns 337.79 acres of open space, including one parcel in Rochester. The land ranges in size from less than an acre to five parcels totalling 117 acres, the gift of Ruth Hiller Martocci. Those parcels are located between Route 6, across from the East Mattapoisett standpipe, and the Crescent Beach and Pine Island Pond areas.

Eventually, some of the properties will have trails so that the land will be more readily accessible for the public to enjoy. Plans for the Munro parcel call for a new walking path atop the sloped revetment, better pedestrian access and a picnic area as part of the harbor overlook.

Old Tyme Faire in Mattapoisett

On Saturday, August 9 from 9:00 am to 1:00 pm, the Old Tyme Faire and Yard Sale will be held at the Mattapoisett Congregational Church (27 Church Street). There will be games, face painting, and fire engine rides for children as well as sale items of toys and books. The large Yard Sale will be inside the Church Hall and include a snack bar and food table. This is a "rain or shine" event.

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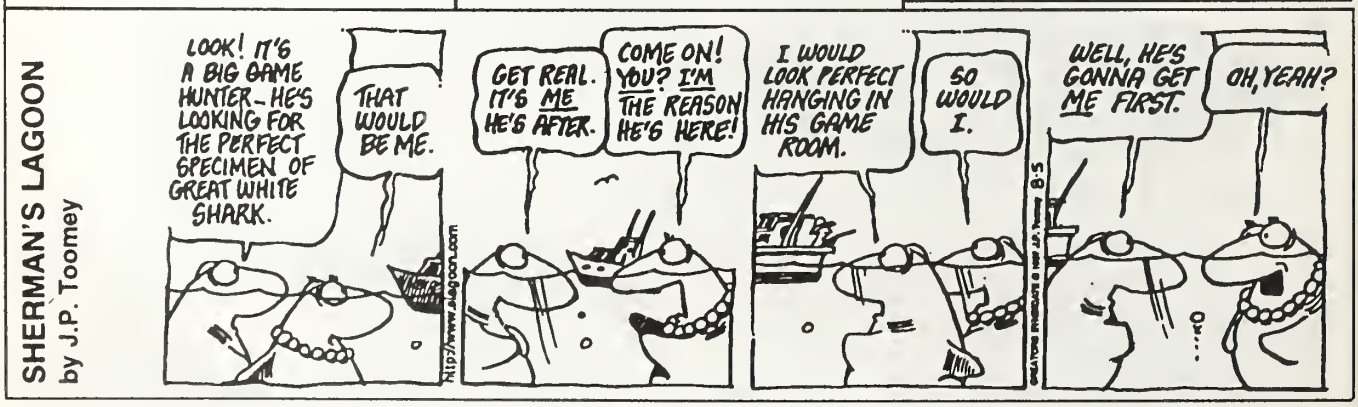

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- August 23 - Dave Perrault (caller); Ella Bettencourt (cuer); Congregational Church Women's Guild (sponsor).
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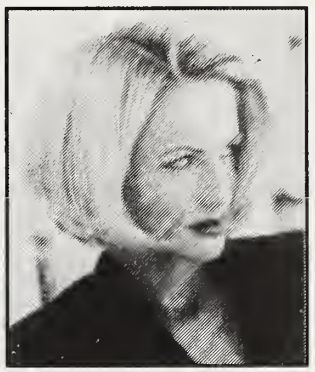

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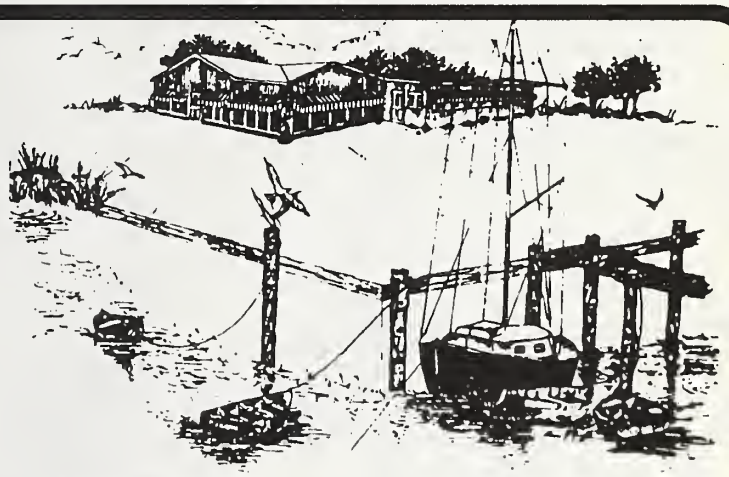

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"Here's the groom now. Oops, sorry, it's just a penguin."

Rogers and the buildings he donated to town," Mr. Richard said. "For instance, many people don't know that Rogers had an older sister and a younger brother. Not many folks have ever noticed where you can find a carved likeness of Mark Twain on one of the buildings. I'll show you the house where Henry and Abbie were married and point out some dragons that watch everybody coming in and out of Town Hall."

For those who are unable to take the guided tours, the Office of Tourism has just printed a brochure about the gifts of Henry Huttleston Rogers with a map and brief description of each building. It's now available at the Fairhaven Visitors Center. Both the brochures and the walking tours are FREE.

Mattapoisett Senior Touring Club

The following trips, slated for the Mattapoisett Senior Touring Club, are open to all interested travellers:

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For flyers or further information on any of these trips, please call Florence at 748-1918 or Jean at 758-6470.

Property Inspections in Rochester

Effectively immediately, two representatives from the Rochester Board of Assessors' office will be conducting inspections of properties located in the Town of Rochester. This will be ongoing for the Fiscal Year 1999 Revaluation and also for updating the current Assessors' information for fiscal year 1998. Residents' cooperation will be appreciated. Please call the Assessors' office at 763-5250 if you have any questions.

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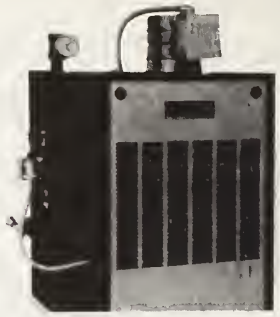

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August 8:	Fri.	. . .	12:04	4:54	5:16
August 9:	Sat.	12:18	12:49	5:31	5:58
August 10:	Sun.	1:04	1:38	6:12	6:47
August 11:	Mon.	1:57	2:32	7:00	7:44
August 12:	Tues.	2:54	3:29	7:55	8:49
August 13:	Wed.	3:55	4:26	8:59	9:59
August 14:	Thur.	4:53	5:22	10:05	11:06
August 15:	Fri.	**5:49**	**6:14**	**11:11**	. . .
August 16:	Sat.	6:41	7:06	12:06	12:13
August 17:	Sun.	7:32	7:55	12:59	1:10
August 18:	Mon.	8:22	8:45	1:49	2:04
August 19:	Tues.	9:11	9:34	2:37	2:57
August 20:	Wed.	10:01	10:24	3:25	3:49
August 21:	Thur.	10:53	11:06	4:12	4:41
August 22:	Fri.	11:46	. . .	5:00	5:36
August 23:	Sat.	12:11	12:41	5:49	6:35
August 24:	Sun.	1:06	1:40	6:43	7:43
August 25:	Mon.	2:05	2:41	7:43	9:07

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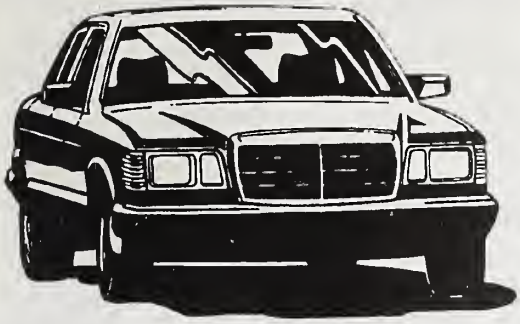

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